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Board of Commissioner

May Session 1838

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County began and held at the Court House in Newport on the first Monday of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eighty hundred and thirty eight.

Present Elijah B. James)
Charles Trowbridge)Commissioners
Thomas Chenoweth)

Ordered that Richard M. Waterman be allowed the sum of fifty cents for medicine for Joseph Starret, a poor person out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Burch Reed be allowed the following sums for keeping James Staret a Pauper of Eugene Township in the order as follows towit:

One order for Sixteen dollars and twelve and half cents
One do " Sixteen dollars and sixty two cents
One do " Six dollars and twenty six cents
out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated

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Ordered that George Sanders be allowed the sum of thirty nine dollars for keeping and supporting Elizabeth Mays from the first day of November last until the first Monday of May 1838 in the order as follows

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to wit one order for the sum of thirty three dollars and one order for the sum of six dollars, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Joseph Miller be allowed the sum of four dollars and fourteen cents for his servises as Supervisor of road district No 9 in Vermillion Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Henry Spriggs be allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents for his servises as Supervisor of road district No 7 in Helt Township out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Reuben Rader, be allowed the sum of eighteen dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No five in Highland Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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O.I. 10 Ordered, that Solomon Davis be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents, for his services as Supervisor in road district No one in Vermillion Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered, that Benjamin Burson be allowed the sum of
O.I. 11 three dollars and twenty five cents for his services as Supervisor of road district No two in Vermillion Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O.9. 12 Ordered that David Shoemaker, be allowed the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents for his service as Supervisor of road district No 6 in Helt Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

I.O. 13 Ordered that Andrew Fultz be allowed the sum of six dollars and seventy five cents for his services as Supervisor of road district No five in Eugene Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 14 I Ordered that Soloman Jones, be allowed the sum of six dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No two in Highland Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 15 Ordered that David Piper be allowed the sum of six dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No one in Highland Township, for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 16 Ordered that David Spry be allowed the sum of two dollars and twnety five cents for his services as Super-

visors of road district No Three, in Highland Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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O. 17#I Ordered that Joseah Martin, be allowed the sum of eleven dollars and twenty five cents, for his services Supervisor of road district No three in Vermillion Township for the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

I.18#0 Orderee, that William Billing be allowed the sum of six dollars and sixty two cents for his services as Supervisor of road district No four in Highland Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 19#I Ordered that Lewis Holtz be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars and twenty five cents for his services as Supervisor of road district No 13 in Eugene Township, for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

020#I Ordered that Philemon, Thomas be allowed the sum of five dollars and twenty five cents, for his services as Supervisor of road district No six in Vermillion Township,

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for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 21 $ Ordered, that Samuel T. Richardson be allowed the sum offour dollars and fifty cents, for his services as Supervisor of road district No three in Clinton Township, for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 22$ I Ordered, that Aaron Jones be allowed the sum of three dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No 5 in Vermillion Township, for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 23$ Ordered, that William White, overseer of the poor of Helt Township, be allowed the sum of four dollars, for his services as such for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 24$ Ordered that William Malone, be allowed the sum of seven dollars for his services as over seer of the poor of Helt Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Order Issued 25 # Ordered that Joel Blakesley be allowed the sum of twenty nine dollars & 50 cts for keeping and sustaining

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Adam Smith a pauper in Helt Township for the two last quarters of the year ending on the first Monday of May, 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 26$ Ordered, that Isaac L. Gibson be allowed the sum of three dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No three in Helt Township, for the 1837, out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

0.27 $I Ordered, that Doctor William Hall be allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents, for medical services rendered T. Sterret a pauper of Eugene Township, in the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

028 $I Ordered that Jacob Sears be allowed the sum of seven dollars, for his services as overseer of the poor of Vermillion Township, for the year ending on the first Monday of May, 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 29$I Ordered that George Dehart, be allowed the sum of eighteen dollars for maintianing John Watson a pauper in Highland Township from 1st January 1838 to 7th May 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 30 $ Ordered that Bishop, Moffatt & Co be allowed the sum of two dollars and fifty seven cents, for articles of merchandize furnished for John Watson a pauper of Highland Township in the year 1837 & 1838 out of any money in the

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Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 34$I Ordered, that Jonas Metzgar be allowed the sum of seven dollars, and seventy five cents, for his services as overseer of the poor in Highland Township, for the year ending on the first Monday of May 1838-out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 32$I Ordered, that James P. Naylor, be allowed the sum of four dollars for his services as overseer of the poor, in Eugene Township for the year ending on the first Monday In May 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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0 33$I Ordered, that Andrew Fultz be allowed the sum of four dollars, for his services as overseer of the poor of Eugene Township for the year ending on the first Monday in May, 1838-out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 I 34 $ Ordered, that Benjamin Fisher be allowed the sum of two dollars for his services as School Trustee for Township No fifteen north of range No 10 west, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 35XI Ordered, that Nathaniel W. Davis be allowed the sum

of three dollars and seventy five cents, for his services as Supervisor of road district No seven in Vermillion Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0 36¢I Ordered, that Golsberry Huff be allowed the sum of nine dollars and seventy five cents, for his services as Supervisor of road district No eight in Vermillion Township for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

037$I Ordered, that Nathaniel W. Davis be allowed seven dollars and seventy five cents, for wood furnished for the use of the County for the year ending on the first Monday in May 1838 out of any money in the Treasurys not otherwise appropriated.

0 I 38$ Ordered, that Thomas Wright be allowed the sum of six dollars for his services as Supervisor of road district No six in Highland Township, for the year 1837, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that John Russell agent to expend the three per cent fund in Highland Township, pay to Thomas Wright the saum of ten dollars out of said fund.

O.I. 39$ Ordered, that John Hopkins, judge of an election be allowed the sum of ond dollar, for returning poll books at two different times, in the year 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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040$ I Ordered, that Thomas Harlan, be allowed the sum of four dollars for his services as overseer of the poor of Clinton Township, for the year ending on the first Monday of May 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

041$I Ordered, that H.B. Cole be allowed the sum of seven dollars for his services as overseer of the poor of Clinton Township, for the year ending on the first Monday of May 1838, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

VOID Ordered, that H.B. Cole be allowed the sum of seventy five cents

Ordered, that James Seeds be appointed Constable for Clinton Township He having filed his Bond with approved Security as required by law.

Issued 42# Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be and he is hereby allowed twenty dollars for servises as Lister the present year out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

044#I Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed five dollars for his services as Lister the present year out of

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any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed fifteen

OI454 dollars for his services as Lister out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI46# Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed nine dollars for his services as Lister, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

0247# Ordered that Stephen B. Gardenr be allowed Sixteen dollars for his services as Lister out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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048#I Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed thirty five dollars for his services as Lister out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

049#I Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed sixty dollars for his services as Lister out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

050#I Ordered that Stephen B. Gardener be allowed seventy four dollars for his services as Lister which is in full for all claims for that service out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI51# Ordered that John W. Rush be allowed eighteen dollars

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& fifty cents for one deed Book Bought of Jennison Slater at Indianapolis, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 Oclock.

Signed May 8th 1838 — Chas Trowbridge, E.B. Names, Thos Chenoweth — Commissioners

Tuesday morning the Board met persuant /_pursuant_/ to adjournment.

Present as yesterday.

Issued 52¢ Ordered that Allen Stroud Sheriff be allowed the sum of nineteen dollars and sicty eight cents for keeping Isaac McGinnis a prisoner in Jail from the 6th day of March to the 8th day of May 1838, 63 days at 31¢ per day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued 53¢ Ordered that Allen Stroud Sheriff be allowed the sum of six dollars and twenty five cents for keeping Asa Warner and Hiram Glassco from 6th to 16 March 1838, 10 days each at 31¼ per day out of any money in the Treasuary /_treasury_/ not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Carter & Kirkpatrick be licensed to Vend foreigh and domestic Groceries and spiritous liquors in the town of Perrysville, until the first Monday of May next on their fileing /_filing_/ Bonds required by law,

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and that they pay to the County Treasurer the sum of one hundred dollars.

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Ordered that William Alexander be licenced to Vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Newport, for one year from the 7th day of the present month on his paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that Jones & Smith be liecnced to vend foreign merchandize & foreign & domestic Groceries in the Town of Perrysville for one year from this date on his paying into the County Treasurery the sum of Five dollars.

Ordered that Gookins & Barnes be licenced to Vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Perrysville for one year from this day on their paying in to the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that Ashley Harris be licenced to Vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Village of Highland in the County for one year from this date on his paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

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Ordered that E.&O. Brown be licenced to vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Clinton for one year from this date on their paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

054#I Ordered that David W. Clover be allow /_allowed_/ the sum of eight dollars and sixty cents for stationarys furnished the County out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed to Bailiffs for the March Term of the Circuit Court, to wit-

o Issued 56#	Vre Aston,	Bailiff for Grand Jury,	5 days	7.50
O Issued 56#	Joel Hume	do Petit Jury	6 do	9.00
O Issued 57#	Eli Newlin	do so	5 do	7.50

Out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered, that the following sums be allowed to the Grand Jurors, for the March Term of the Circuit Court towit

058I	Charles English	5 days	3.75
Issued 59	Henry Bogart	5 do	3.75
060I	A.E. Sargeant	5 do	3.75
061I	George Hicks	5 do	3.75
062I	Abel Oxford	5 do	3.75

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063I	Howell Cain	5 do	3.75
064I	Allen Rogers	5 do	3.75
065I	John Russell		
065I	John Russell	5 do	3.75
066I	Benjamin Shepherd	5 do	3.75
067I	Benjsmin Burson	5 do	3.75
068I	Isaac Brink	5 do	3.75
069I	William Peters	5 do	3.75
Issued 70I	Rufus Brown	5 do	3.75
071I	James Harper Sen	5 do	3.75
072I	Aaron Jones	5 do	3.75
073I	William A. Richardson	5 do	3.75

And also the following sums to the Petit Jurors for Same term, towit-

0740	Jesse Booth	5 days	3.75
075I	John E. Edwards	1 day	75
076I	Simeon Chipps	5 days	3.75
077I	James Rinsmore	5 do	3.75
078I	James L. Wishard	5 do	3.75
079I	John Andrews	5 do	3.75
Issue 80	Arthur Payton	5 days	3.75
081I	John Chenoweth	1 do	75
082I	John Fultz	1 do	75
083I	William Utter	1 do	75
084I	Jacob Miller	2 do	1.50
085I	William French	1 do	75

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086I	Lewis Burnes	1 do	75
087I	Daniel Lemmon	1 do	75
088I	Durham Hood	1 do	75
089I	James Hopkins	1 do	75
090I	Charles S. Little	5 do	3.75
091I	Nathaniel Jones	5 do	3.75
092I	Enoch Moore	5 do	3.75

Bailiff for Grand Jury Vre Aston 5 days

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Ordered that the following sums be allowed, to wit

093I	To Robert Elliott road viewer	$1.00
094I	" Enoch W. Lane do	1.00
095I	" James Burns, Chain bearer	1.00
096I	" Truman Sollars Do	1.00
097I	" Benjamin Naylor Ax man	1.00

Out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Thomas Tipton be appointed Supervisor of Highways in road district No four in Eugene Township.

Enoch W. Lane and Robert Elliott, two of the persons

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who were appointed at the last March Session of this Board to view and locate a road leading from Eugene in a direction to Georgetown, This day made the following report, towit.

"To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County Ind. The undersigned having been appointed by the Board at the March Session, 1838, to view and mark out a road commencing at or near a certain black Oak tree on the road, leading from Eugene in a direction of Georgetown Ill, near where said road crosses the south line of the north west quarter of section 4, in Town 17 N. range 10 w. & thence on the nearest and best ground to the south-west corner of sd qr section, thence westwardly on the nearest and best ground to the State Line to intersect a road in Illinois called the Danville road, hereby report that believing such road if opened, would be of public utility, We proceeded on the 4th day of May first to mark and lay out the sameas follows, to wit, from the point first named in the order S 67° W 8 rods thence south 57° W 32 rods thence S 69° W 10 rods thence north 74° W 20 rods & 20 links thence N 42° W 54 rods thence N 76° W 24 rods & 19 links thence north 45° W 29 rods then S 21° W 56 rods thence N 87° W 94 rods thence S 51° W 32 rods thence south 38½° W 26 rods thence N 60° West 22 rods & 5 links thence north 37° W. 18 rods thence N 65° W 38 rods thence N 44° W. 38 rods thence north on section line 62 rods thence

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North 65½° W 64 rods & 21 links thence N 16½° W 46 rods thence N 54° and 10 minutes west 113 rods and seven links to the terminating point on the

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State line.

Respectfully Submitted

Variation N. 6.° 30' E.

Enoch W. Lane)
His)
Robert X Elliot) Viewers
mark

May 4th 1838 Mr Elliott signed in my presence.

James Groenendyke.

I certify that the field notes as stated in the above report are correct and true May 4th 1838.

John Porter Surveyor

And the said report having been read, the same is on due deliberation, approved and confirmed, and it is ordered that the same be recorded and that the said road be opened to the width of thirty three feet and that to be henceforth kept in repair as a public highway of which the Supervisor of highways are to take notice.

James Groenendyke, Abraham Zabresky, two of the persons whowere appointed at the last Session of this Board [Board] to view and make an alteration in a certain Road therein named. This day made the following report

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towit," The undersigned, Commissioners appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County at its March Session A.D. 1838 in the road leading from Newport to Perrysville by way of the army ford of Big Vermillion River commenceing on the Township line between Townships 17 & 18 north of range nine west at the northeast corner of section 5 in Township 17 and running thence north parallel with the section linve, to intersect the County road leading from Springfield Indiana to Thomas Ferry on the Wabash River, thence with said County road about eastwardly, till it shall intersect the said first mentioned road have to report, that they have after being duly sworn viewed the established road, and the proposed alteration, and find on examination, that the proposed change will place the road on better ground, will not increese [increase] the distance, and in our opinion will not injure or detract from the public convenience, but rather if established will be a public Benefit they also find that the line of the proposed alteration is about as well openedas the established road.

Curtis Road.

Respectfully Submitted May 7th 1838

James Groenendyke

Abraham Zabrisky

The same is on due deliberation approved and confirmed and it ordered that the same be recorded. That the said

road be opened to the width of thirty three feet, and that it be henceforth kept in repair as a public Highway of which Supervisors of highways are to take notice and so much of the old road as is set out in the petition and prayed for to be changed be and the same is hereby declared vacated.

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Ordered that Comfort & Vansant be licenced to vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Grogeries in the County of Vermillion for the term of one year from the first Monday in May A.D. 1838, on their paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that Joseph Shaw be licenced to vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Eugene in the County of Vermillion for the term of one year from the 7th day of May A.D. 1838 on his paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the following persons for their services as chain carrier survey school section No 16 T. 16 R 10 as follows to wit,

0.98I	To John Fisdick four days	$3.00
0.99I	" William Hollingsworth four days	3.00

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0.100I " Julius Bogart " " 3.00

Elias N. Reynolds Jonas Metzgar and Daniel Sparks persons who were appointed at the last March Session of this Board to view a road therein named made report as follows to wit.

"To the Honourable Board of Commissioners of the County of Vermillion in pursuance /_pursuance_7 of and order of this honourable board herewith returned we the undersigned appointed the said order to view and lay out the same and return it as a road of Public utility as follows to wit beginning on the road leading from Eugene to Gopher Hill, at the south west corner of Diana Skinners land running west thirty poles to a post thence north twelve poles to Henry Minerts mills, which is respectfully submitted.

Witness our hands this 21st day of April 1838.

Elias N. Reynolds

Jonas Metzgar

Daniel Spark.

And the said report having been read, the same is on due deliberation, approved and confirmed, and it is ordered that the same be recorded and that the said road be opened to the width of thirty three feet, and that it be hence forth kept in repair as a public highway of which the Supervisors of highways are to take notice.

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Elias N. Reynolds, Peter Switzer and Robert Pruett who were appointed at the March Session of this board, 1837, to change a part of a certain State road, this day made the following report, to wit- "To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of the County of Vermillion, Ind, in pursuance of an order of this Hon. Board herewith returned, we the undersigned, appointed by s aid order, to marke and lay out a change in the road therein mentioned, hereby report that we have viewed and examined the said road & considering that the puvlic would be thereby benefitted, we recommend the following change to wit, beginning at the centre /_center_/ for the State road at the N.E. corner of Sec. 16 in T. 19. N. of R. 9 W. thence N 24½° E. 40 poles thence N 3° W 122 poles where it again intersects the state road, whole distance 162 poles the ground of the above change is much more favorable that the ofd route, can be put in good repair at something like half the wxpense & the distance is increased but two poles.

Respectfully Submitted May 22d 1837.

Elias N. Reynolds

Peter Switzer

Robert Pruett

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I hereby certify that the field notes as contained in the above report are correct, as take by me May 22, 1837.

John Porter Surveyor

The said report having been read the same is on due deliberation approved and confirmed and it is ordered that the same be recorded and that the said road be opened to the width of fifty three feet, and that it be henceforth kept in repair as a public highway, of which the Supervisors of highways are to take notice so much of the old road as mentioned in the petition and prayed to be changed be and the same is declared to be vacated.

Ordered, that the following sums be allowed for relocating part of State road, to wit,

0101I	Philip French	Commr. One day	$1.
0102I	Washington Ingram	Chain carrier	0.75
0.103I	Harrison Wright	do	75
0.104I	Thomas Ingram	Ax man	75

Out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

I.1050 Ordered, that Allen Stroud, Sheriff be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars, for extra services for the quarter ending on the first Monday of May, 1838. Out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered, that McCulloch & Conkey be locensed to vend forreign /_foreign_7 Merchandise, and foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Clinton in the County of Vermillion, for the term of one year from the 7th day of May A.D. 1838, upon his /_their_7 paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

This day Lewis Jones presented the petition of Sundry ingabitants praying for a review on the road leading from Williams Ford on the Wabash, to the State line by way of Lewis Jones. Which petition was read, and upon consideration it is ordered that Martin Patrick, Thomas Tipton and Andrew Mc. F. Thompson, be and they are hereby appointed to review said road, and make report of their views and opinions to this Board at their next Session.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 9 O'clock tomorrow morning.

Chas. Trowbridge)
E.B. James) Commissioners
Thos. Chenoweth)

Wednesday Morning May 9th 1838.

Court convened, pursuant to adjournment.

Present, same as heretofore.

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0106I Ordered that Eli Newlin be allowed the sum of fifty cents for candles furnished at the March Term of the Circuit Court 1838 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

0107I Ordered that Elias N. Reynolds be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one dollar as viewer for a change in the State road on petition of John Russell out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

0108I Ordered that Peter Switzer be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one dollar for his servises as viewer for a change in the State Road on petition of John Russell out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 109 Orderee that Robert Pruit be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one dollar for his services as viewer for a change in the State Road on Petition of John Russell out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered that the following sums be allowed for viewing roads to Elias N. Reynolds, for one day on Chenoweths road $1.00

0110 " Jonas Metzgar " " do do do 1.00

0111I 0111I " Daviel Sparks " " Do Do Do 1.00

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0112I " James A. White " " do on Jacksons road 1.00

0I113 " John Skedmore " " do " Do 1.00

Out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated

0115I Ordered, That James A. White be allowed the sum of one dollar for his services as Commissioner, appointed to assess the damages of a certain road on the remonstrance of Emily Bales, etal, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

C.I. 116 Ordered, that John Cassel be allowed the sum of one dollar for his Services as Commissioner appointed to assess the damages of a certain road on the remonstrance of Emily Bales, etal, out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

This day James A. White and Daniel Biddlecome presented their petition, for a turn in a certain road from Clinton to Elijah Taylor's, as follows towit: Beginning where said road now strikes the east line of section 25 Town 15 north of range 16 west thence north along said line to the N.E. corner of said section, thence west on said section line until it strikes the said road, Which said petition was read, and it is therefore ordered that George Powers, John Harper and Samuel Ruch Sr. be and they are hereby appointed to view, mark and lay out said road, as set forth in the petition and that they make report of their views and opinions to this Board at its next Session

Ordered Issued

White & Biddlecome Road

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Eugene Road Districts

No 5 Ordered that all the Territory in Eugene Townshio north & east of the Big Vermillion River & west of the range line divideing range 9 & 10 be constituted road district No 5.

No 6 Ordered that all the Territory in Eugene Township north of the Big Vermillion & east of the range line dividing range 9 & 10, be constituted road district No (6) six.

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Ordered, that Jacob Iles be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No six in Eugene Township for the year 1838, and until the next annual election for Township Officers.

117 Ordered, that William A. Lawless be allowed the sum of one dollar for returning poll book of an Election for Justice of the Peace in the year 1837.

O.I. Ordered, that Stephen H. Herrington be and he is hereby appointed Constable in Helt Township, to continue in office until the next annual Election for Township Offices upon his entering into Bond with approved Security.

O I Ordered, that Abram White Jr. be and he is hereby

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appointed constable in Helt Township, to continue in office until the next annual Election for Township Offices upon his entering into Bond with approved Security.

_/ Ordered, that John Staats be and he is hereby appointed overseer of the poor in Helt Township, to continue in office until the next annual election for Township Officers

_/ Ordered, that Christopher Hannaman be and he is hereby appointed overseer of the poor in Helt Township to continue in office until the next annual election for Township Officers.

_/ Ordered that Nathan Owens be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No one in Helt Township to continue in office until the next annual/_annual_7 Election of Township Officers.

Ordered that Thomas Combs be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No two in Helt Township to continue in office until the next anuel April Election for Township officers.

_/ Ordered that James Payton be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No three in Helt Township to continue in office until the next April anuel Election for Township officers.

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_/ Ordered that James Harper, Jun. be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No four in Helt Town ship to continue in office until the next annuel election for Township officers.

_/ Ordered, that Benjamin R. Bentley be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No five in Helt Township, to continue in Office the next annual election for Township Officers.

Ordered, that the appointments of Overseers of the poor and Supervisors in Helt Township, (which were made through mistake) be now by the Board declared to be null and void.

O.I. Orderee, that William Malone, be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of Elections in Helt Township, to Continue in office until the next April annual Election.

Vermillion Road Districts

Ordered that the Town of Newport be constituted a road district to be numbered ten, and counded as follows, to wit Beginning at the south Bank of the Little Vermillion at the north east corner of the Town of Newport,

No 10 thence south on the east side of said Town opposite to Pearson & Jones corner, at or near the old Brick yard thence west so for as to range with the west side of said Town thence north with the line of said Town to the Little Vermillion thence down said streem /_stream_/ with its

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meanders to the place of begining and to include all the out lots of said Town.

Ordered that Emely Bales Widow and William F. Bales, and the other heirs of Caleb Bales deceased be and they are hereby allowed the sum of Sixty Five dollars which said amount was assessed by T.A. White and John Castle two of the viewers appointed by order of this Board at the January Session 1838 to Review a Road therin named and assess the damages claimed by Emely Bales widow of Caleb Bales deceased, and made theri report at the March Session A.D. 1838, at which session the Board ordered that the

O. Issued Petitioners should pay the damages so as aforesaid assessed
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and at this present session the Board does Elect and orders that the County pays the damages so as aforesaid assessed in place of the petitioners. It is therefore ordered that said road be opened forty feet wide and henceforth be declared a public Highway of which Supervisors will take notice.

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No 7 To commence at the Wabash River at the line dividing Townships No. 16 & 17 R.9.W. thence north with

said river to the mouth of the little Vermillion, thence west with said Creek to N.E. corner of the out lots of the town of Newport. Thence south with the east line of said line of said Town of Pearson & Jones Corner, at or near the old Brickklin thence west to the line divideing sections 34 & 34 thence south with said line to the Township line thence with said Township line to the place of Beginning.

No 10. To Commence at the north east corner of the out lots of the Town of Newport, thence south with the east line of said Town to Pearson and Jones Corner at or near the Brickklin thence west to the line dividing sections 34 & 35 T. 17 N.R. 9 W. thence north with said line to the little Vermillion thence with said stream to the place of Beginning.

No 11. To commence at the south east corner of section 34 in in Town 17 R. 8 W. thence north with said line to the little Vermillion, thence westwardly with the Little Vermillion to the line dividing sections 28 & 33, thence east with said line to the south east corner of section 28, thence south on the line dividing sections, 33 & 34 to the Township line, thence east to the place of Beginning.

The Board having considered the petition of William Rittenhouse and others for the establishment of a Ferry

across the Big Vermillion at Collets Pork House and also the remonstrance of John Comfort and others against the same, are of opinion that License should not be granted.

On the petition of Charles Trowbridge & David Shoemaker for the change of the State road leading from Montezuma to Paris Illinois, such change proposed to be as follows to wit. Beginning at the line dividing the east and west halves of the north west quarter of section thirty four, in Township 16 north of range 9 west ~~with~~

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where said road crosses the same thence running /_running_7 west with the State road, leading from Ghormleys line to the State line, between seventy and eighty poles thence south westwardly until it intersects said road at or near the boundary line in Section 33 north of the boundary line. It is ordered, that Michael Ghormley, Philip French and Jonathan Peters be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view the established road and the proposed change and make report of their views and proceedings thereon at the next Session of this Board.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 O'clock A.M..

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	Thomas Chenoweth	Commissioners
Signed May 10th	Chas. Trowbridge	
1838.	E.B. James	

Thursday Morning.

Board met pursueant /pursuant/ to adjournment

Present as on Yesterday.

Be it remembered that on this tenth day of May the Board of Commissioners proceeded to select from the assesment rolls Grand and Petit Jurors for the term of September 1838 and for March Term 1839. And said names were selected and put into a box kept for that purpose, and thereupon the Clerk inpresence of the Board, drew out the following names for Grand and Petit Jurors, for September term 1838.

For Grand Jurors	Grand Jurors
George Moyer	John Aye
James Pierce	Samuel Nolan
James A. White	Martin Rudy
Elijah Roseberry	
Charles Bowman	
Charles W. Davis	
Joshua Swan	
James Armour	
John Williams	
Thomas Wright	

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Samuel Ater

George Bales

James Bradhurn

Cuthbert H. Spangler

Wesley Southard

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For Petit Jurors, for September Term 1838

George Brindley	Jacob Groves
Asaph Hill	William T. Cummings
Robert Boatman	David Rush
Elias N. Reynolds	Ezekiel Pritchard
Job Billing	Stephen Bainbridge
Samuel Dickerson	Robert Nixon
Henry F. Jackson	Jonathan Peters
Joshua Dean	James C. Anderson
George Dehart	Artemas Clark
Nicholas Ponton	Isaac Bullington
Archibald Kelson	John G. Padgit
	Benjamin Asberry

And also at the same time in presence of said Board, drew the following names for Grand and Petit for the March

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Term 1839 to wit:

For Grand Jurors	For Petit Jurors
John Sawyer	Thomas Kebley
Joseph Ramey	Daniel Biddlecome
Samuel A. Holdaway	Samuel Lynn
John Blair	Benjamin Turman
John N. Jones	Stephen S. Collett
Nathan Owens	Simeon Chipps
William Swan	David Beauchamp
John Taylor	William French
Andrew Fultz	Josiah Zeiger
Robert E. Barnet	John Watt
Daniel Weisager	Samuel Aikman
Joseph Briner	Richard Ford
Nathaniel Amos	Colman Bright
George Bishop	Amos B. Smith
Adoniram J. Richardson	Samuel Tamset
Thomas J. Brown(Helt Township)	William P. Dole
Jacob Hain	Isaac Chenoweth
Otis W. Conkey	Thomas Cunningham
	William M. Newman
	William McDowell
	George Myers
	Wesley Church
	John Russell(of Helt Township)

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O.I. 119 Ordered that Allen Haworth be and he is hereby allowed the sum of tow /_two_7 dollars, being amount over charged on his State and County Taxes for the year A.D. 1837, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 120 Ordered that John W. Ruch Clerk be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fourteen dollars in full for his extra services as Clerk which makes in full up to the first Monday in May A.D: 1838, out of any money in the Treasery not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 121 Ordered that John W. Rush formaly /_formerly_7 a Clerk be allowed in full for stationaries furnished by him as Clerk in the in the last quarter of his official servises ending on the 25th day of April A.D. 1838 in the order as follows to wit:

122 O.I. One order for the sum of five dollars and twenty five cents, one order for the sum of five dollars & thirty eight cents, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 123 Ordered that Alexander B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of seven dollars for part of a quarter for extra

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Services in the May Session of A.D. 1838 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Joshua Martin be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in road district No eleven in Vermillion Township to continue in office until the next April Election.

Ordered that John Tate be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in road district No ten in Vermillion Township to continue in office until the next April anuel /annual/ Election.

Ordered that John B. Yeager be appointed collector of the present year, upon his fileing Bond in the penal sum of five Thousand dollars with approved Freehold security.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 O'clock A.M.

	E.B. James	
Signed March 11th	Chas. Trowbridge	Commissioners
A.D. 1838	Thos Chenoweth	

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The Board met pursuant to adjorunment

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Present as on Yesterday

Ordered that David W. Clover be licenced to vend foreign merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the Town of Newport in the County of Vermillion for the Term of one year from the 7th day of May A.D. 1838 upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones be licenced to vend foreign Merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the town of Newport in the County of Vermillion for one year from the 7th of May A.D. 1838, upon his paying into the County Treasurery the sum of Five dollars.

Ordered that the following Rates of tax be levied for the year A.D. 1838 for County purposes to wit: on each Poll fifty cents, on all property both real and pursonal /personal/ the sum of thirty five cents, on each hundred dollars valuation; and also the sum of five cents for road purposes (15 cents for State Tax.)

Ordered that the following rates of Tax be levied on the Ferry owned and occupied by the heirs of Thomas Tilson deceased for one year from this date on his /their/ paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

O.Issued 124 Ordered that Charles Trobridge be allowed the sum of ten dollars for his services as Commissioner at the present Session of this Board out of any money in the Treasurery not othewise appropriated,

Ordered that Elijah B. James be allowed the sum of

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125 ten dollars to be issued in orders of five dollars each
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O.Issuedfor his servises as Commissioner at the present Session of this Board out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.--

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O.IssuedO. Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth be allowed the sum of
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128 ten dollars, to be Issued as follows, one for four and
O.Issued
the other for six dollars for his services as Commissioner at the present Session of this Board out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

129 Ordered that Obediah Sweazey be allowed the sum of three dollars for keeping Eveline Vancamp a Pauper in Helt Township to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjour /adjourn/ until Court in Course.

Signed May 11th 1838 Chas Trowbridge, E.B. James, Thomas Chenoweth } Commissioners

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Monday September 3d A D 1838, at a Board of Commissioners began and held at the Court House in Newport on the day and year aforesaid.

Present Charles Trowbridge, Alijah B. James } Commissioners

Charles Trowbridge who was elected a Commissioner for the 2nd district of said County at the annuel election on the first Monday in August A.D. 1838, this Morning received his certificate of election for the term of three years, and was duly qualified according to law.

Ordered that Burch Reed be allowed the sum of Nineteen dollars and fifty cents divided into three seperate orderes as follows to wit.

O.I 130	One order for Ten Dollars	$10.00
O.I.131		
O.I.132	One do Nine dollars	9.00
	& One for fifty cnets	50

for sustaining James Staritt a Pauper of Eugene Township from the first day of May 1838 until the first day of August 1838, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Issued Ordered that Hill & Gessie be licenced to Vend foreign merchandize & foreign & domestic Groceries in the County of Vermillion and town of Perrysville for the term of one year from the date hereof on their paying to the

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County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

Issued Ordered that Bishop Moffiett & Co be licenced to vend foreign merchandize and foreign and domestic Groceries in the town of Perrysville in the County of Vermillion for the term of one year upon their paying in to the County Treasuery the sum of five dollars.

133 o I. Ordered that Abel Oxford be allowed the sum of five dollars and seventy five cents for his services attending on Samuel Dennis & finding one sheet for his burial out of any money in the treasuerry not otherwise appropriated.

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134 o I Ordered that George Sanders be allowed the sum of nineteen dollars and fifty cents for sustaining Elizabeth Mays a pauper of Eugene Township from the first of May 1838, to the first of August 1838 out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

0135I Ordered that Simon Turman be allowed the sum of one dollar and seventy five cents for 2 yds Cambrick & ¾ yds Book Muslin furnished Elizabeth Hunt in the year A.D. 1836, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

0136I Ordered that S. & B. Turman be allowed the sum of one

dollar & twelve & and one half cents for articles furnished Samuel Dennis by order of overseers of the Poor, 19th of August 1838 out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 137 Ordered that John Fultz be allowed the sum of six dollars and eighty seven cents for sundries furnished Paupers of Highland Township by him as overseer of the Poor up to this day out ofany money in the Treasuery not other wise appropriated.

Ordered that John Fultz be allowed the sum of seven dollars including fifty cents for William Fultz for servvices, as an inspector for the anuel April Election in 1838 & two Election in August 1838 out of any money in

138 O I. the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the following persons for servises rendered at the August Election as follows.

OI 139	To John S. Oxford Judge	$-.50
OI 140	" William Lawless do	-.50
OI 141	" I.K. Lewis (Clerk Issued to Jro Fultz)	50

OI 142 Ordered that George W. Degart be allowed the sum of five dollars heretofore omitted to be entered through the negligence of the Clerk, as stated by John Fultz former Comr. out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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O 142 I Ordered, that George Degart be allowed the sum of seventeen dollars for keeping John Watson a Pauper from 7th May 1838 to 3d Sept. 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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OI 143 Ordered that Jermiah Shelton be allowed the sum of sixdollars for food and medecine & lodging furnished to Jane Schoonover a transient Pauper out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 144I Ordered that Milo Gookins be allowed the sum of six dollars sixty two & a half cents, for transporting and furnishing Jane Schoonover a pauper out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 145I Ordered, that Jesse Fox be allowed one dollar for carrying chain in laying out James Reed road out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 146I Ordered that Ira Fox be allowed one dollar for carrying chain one day in laying out James Reed Road out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

Copd Ydeled 147 Ordered that James Thompson School Comr be allowed the sum of eighty nine dollars for his services and expenses in the management of the fund for the encourage-

ment of common Schools, to be retained by him out of said fund.

O 148I Ordered that the sum of ten dollars and thirty four cents be allowed Gookins & Barnes for articles furnished John Watson Jane Schoonover and Saml. Dennis paupers out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 149I Ordered that Elijah Saltmarsh be allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents for his services in warning hands to work roads &c in the year 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

A petition praying for the vacation of the road known as Danl. Lacys road and a remonstrance against said petition were severally read.

)I 150 Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the following named persons for their servises in viewing the road from Williams Ford on the Wabash River to the State line by Lewis Jones Viz to Andrew McF. Thompson.

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OI 151 To Martin Patrick One dollar and

OI 152 To Thomas Tipton one dollar to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 153I Ordered that Joseph Jackson be allowed the sum of four dollars for his services as overseer of the Poor for the year ending on the first Monday of April 1838, out of

any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that William Clover be licenced to vend

Licence Issued

Spiritous liquors and foreign and domestic groceries for one year from this day upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of one hundred dollars.

OI 154 Ordered that Alexander B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of Twenty four dollars & twenty five cents for Books and stationary furnished the office out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI 155 Ordered that Alexander B. Florer be allowed the sum of forty six dollars for making duplicate for the year 1838 out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Bales Road

Ordered that James Harper James A. White and John Skidmore be appointed to view that part of said road desired to be changed by the petition of Augustus Ford and report their proceedings at the next term of this board.

Place of Election in Helt Changed.

Ordered that the place of holding elections in Helt Township be changed from the house of Mrs Hood to the house of William Malone.

Ordered that the Board adjorun till tomorrow morning 9 O'clk.

E.B. James

Chas Trowbridge.

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Board met pursuant to adjournmen

Present as on Yesterday.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the following names persons respectively for their services in holding the election at Newport August 1838 Viz

OI 156 To John Hopkins Inspector fifty cents

OI 157 " William Utter Judge fifty cents

O I 158 " Alva Huddleston Judge fifty cents

OI 159 " George Tillinghast Clerk fifty cents

OI 160 " George C. Lingle Dlerk fifty cents out any monty in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Danl. Lacys Road.

The petition praying that said road be vacated was this day read a second time and thereupon it is ordered that my further action upon petition & the remonstrance thereto be deferred till next session.

Malone Road.

Ordered that Philip Frence Jonathan Peters and Lazarus Wright & be appointed to view the route proposed in the petition of david Shewmaker and others to change the State road running from the Wabash River opposite Montezuma

to the State line as follows to wit. "Commencing on the west Bank of the Wabash river opposit the town of Montezuma running west on the direction of Paris Illinois as fare /far/ as the State line, which was located by William Malone commissioner in 18[illegible], that a change to be made in said road to wit to commence north of M. Gormleys house or farm where the said road is located on the bluff thence through Trobridges lane west 60 or 70 rods thence south of david Shoemakers farm in a westerly direction to the mouth of the hollow at his house thence with the road that is now cut out to the Country line between the district of Vincennes and Crawfordsville land office, thence southwest to the line between /between/ Mary Chambers and Nehemiah Hollingsworth, thence with said line 65 rods west, thence south to the now out road three or four rods, thence with said road where said road crosses a small Raveen /ravine/ thence south of said road until it strikes at or near the southwest corner of the south east quarter of section thirty two Town sixteen range nine west of Abraham Hollingsworth land on the township line to intersect the old road. That said Commissioners may appoint Suitable viewers, and make such change as your petitioners

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have prayed for and as shown by the undersigned petitioners and your petitioners will ever pray.

O.I. 161 Ordered that John Mitchell Overseer of the poor be allowed the sum of five dollars in full for his services for the year 1837 out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Perrysville Road Ordered that James Blair, Robert J. Gessie and Milo Gookins be appointed viewers to view so much of the Street in the town of Perrysville Known as Green Street as lies between Liberty street and the Wabash River the same being prayed for to be made a County road and report to this Board at the next session.

Ordered that Roseberry & Jewett be licenced to vend foreign Merchandize in Vermillion County for one year from this day upon their paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

Nuckles Road.

On the petition of Adam Zenor, ordered that Nathl Amos, Danl A. Jones and Thomas Lyons be appointed to view the change in said road prayed for in said petition to wit so much thereof as runs on the W ½ of the N.E. qr of Sec 34 T. 17 R 9 west and report as to the utilitu of said change at the next session of this Board.

O 162I Ordered that Jacob Iles be allowed the sum of eighteen

dollars and twenty five cents for keeping and burial expences Lucinda Saltsgaver a pauper of Eugene Township in the year 1838, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

O 163I Ordered that Alexander Moorehead be allowed the sum of ten dollars for his services as associate Judge at the March Term of the Circuit Court, 1838 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated Issued to Jacob Iles Admr.

O 164I Ordered that Joseph Shawlbe allowed the sum of eighteen dollars for his servises as associate Judge up to the present Session, out of any money in the treaurery not otherwise appropriated.

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O 165I Ordered that Joel Blakesley be allowed the sum of twenty four dollars and sixty six cents for sustaining Adam Smith a pauper of Helt Township from the 1st Monday in May 1838 until the 1st Monday of September A.D. 1838 out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated. Issued to E.B. James

_/ Ordered, that Joseph Eagleston be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district Number nine in Vermillion Township to Serve until the next April anuel election.

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Road District No 5 in Eugene Township

Ordered that the dividing of road district number five in Eugene Township at the May Session 1838 of this Board be and the same is hereby recinded and the said divisions shall be again consolidated and called again road district No five and bound as follows to wit all that part of Eugene Township north of the Vermillion River hereafter be constituted & called road district number 5.

Ordered that the appointment made at the May Session 1838 appointing Jacob Iles Supervisor of road district No six in Eugene Township for the year 1838 and until the next anuel Election for Township officers be and the same is hereby recinded in consequence of consolidating road districts Nos 5 & 6 in the Township aforesaid.

Iles & Jones Road.

Now at this time s presented the report of the viewers appointed at a former Session of this Board and also a remonstrance against said road and one of the members of the Board being absent. It is ordered that the further action of this board in relation to said road be continued until the next Session.

O.I. 166

Ordered that Alle n Stroud be allowed fourteen dollars in full of his compensation for extra services as Sheriff up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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O 167I Ordered that Eli Truitt be allowed one dollar & twenty five cents for Ballot Box out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI 168 Ordered that Daniel A. Jones be allowed the sum of four dollars and forty five cents for sundries furnished the use of the Circuit Court of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI 169 Ordered that Daniel A. Jones be allowed the sum of one hundred and twenty one dollars and sixty five cents for fencing the Jail out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the Board adjourn till tomorrow Morg 8 oclock.

Chas. Trowbridge

E.B. James

Wednesday Morning Sept 5th 1838

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present as Yesterday.

O.170I Ordered that the sum of seven dollars be allowed to Alexander B. Florer Clerk for his extra services up to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the order granting licence to Danl A. Jones to Vend foreign Merchandize for one year from the

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7th May 1838 be recinded and that the County Treasurer be directed to refund to said Jones the sum of five dollars
O 171I being the sum pa by him for such licence said Jones having taken out licence in th preceeding Novr for one year

Daniel A. Jones Comr. 3 per cent Fund.

This day Daniel A. Jones Commissioner of the three per cent fund made the following report Viz.

Honorable Board of Commissioners:

Daniel A. Jones Agent of three per cent fund makes the following report:

By amount received from John W. Rush agent of three per cent fund.	$1481.78
" Amt recd from Treasurers Office at Indianapolis	128.32
	$1610.10

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Board of Commr.

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To Amounts Expended

" Amount paid H.F. Jackson for building bridge	50.00
" " Paid William White on Nortons Creek bridge	250.00
" " paid same Raccoon bridge	200.00
" " paid H.F. Jackson Extra allowance on bridge	2.75

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	$502.75
Amount on hands appropriated on Eugene Bridge across the Big Vermillion	1000.00
By Balance on hands not appropriated	1502.75

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D.A. Jones

Which is approved and ordered recorded.

Edmund James report of Fines.

This day Edmund James Esqr a Justice of the Peace of Helt Township makes report of the following fines assessed and collected by him up to this day since the last Term of the Circuit Court Viz.

State of Indiana VS Thomas Combs	Trepass Fine	$3.15
Same VS Edward Drummond	Breach of Sabbath & disturbing religious worship	4.00

John Vanduyn report of fines.

This day John Vanduyn a Justice of the Peace for Helt Township makes report of the following fines assessed and collected by him up to this day Viz.

State of Indiana VS William Shewmaker	Assult & Battery fine	$1.00

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OI 172 Ordered that Allen Stroud be allowed the sum of thirty seven dollars and fifty cents in full of his services as Jailer up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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James Thompson Treasurers Report.

This day James Thompson Treasurer made the following report to wit:

"To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County in session Sept Term 1838, I herewith furnishe you with an account of money redeived and disbursed by me a Treasurer since March Term 1838.

May the 7th 1838 Recd of Carter & Kirkpatrick

	Jr. Licence 1 year.	$100.00
" "	of Wm Alexander Merchandize 1 year	5.00
" "	Of Jones & Smith	5.00
" "	of Gookins & Barner	5.00
" "	" Ashley Harris	5.00
" "	" E & O Brown	5.00
" "	" McCullock & McConkey	5.00
" "	" Comfort & Vensant	5.00
" "	" Joseph Shaw	5.00

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"	"	Joseph Shaw	5.00
"	"	D.W. Clover	5.00
"	"	Daniel A. Jones	5.00
12	"	William Clover Per Permit	33.00
14	"	Joseph Carter " "	13.62
June 13	"	A.B. Flarer Jury Fee	4.50
" 18	"	Murry & Johnson Gr Permit	20.00
" 23	"	Simon Oliver	20.83
" 25	"	Jackson & Co Exhibiting rope & wire dnacing	8.00
July 7	"	I.B. Glass Mervhandize	87
" 13	"	Wm Gales & Co Circus Permit one day in Newport	30.00
" 14	"	Do - - 1 day in Clinton	30.00
" 16	"	Isaac Carmak Merchandize permit	.84
			$330.82

All of which is Very

Respectfully Submitted

James Thompson

T.N.C.

Thomas F. Leach report of Fines

This day Thomas F. Leach Esqr a justice of the P eace of Vermillion Township makes report of the following fine assessed and collected by him up to this day since the last term of the Circuit Court.

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State of Indiana)
VS) For an Assult & B.
John L. Scarborough)

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Board of Commissioners

September Session 1838 3d day

This day James Thompson School Comr made report which is in the words and figuers following to wit

"To the honorable Board of Commissioners of Ver million County in Session, September A.D. 1838. I herewith furnish you with a statement of Moneys loaned by me as School Commissioner since March term 1838, to wit for Congr Township num. 14 N 49 W March 14 th 1838.

Amount loaned John Porter payable in 3 year from date secured by mortgage $173.31

Township 15 R. 9 W

July 24 1838	amount loaned John B. Geer one year	70.00
July 23 do do	Samuel Skinner one year	120.00
July 19th do do	Nathan Owens one year	50.60
" 19 D do	William Laswell one year	122.26

Town No 16 N.R. 9 W.

July 5th 1838	Galem M. Brown one year	270.00
July 7th "	David W. Clover one year	300.00
" " "	Jacob M. Jackson one year	70.00

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July 8 "	Ecward Jackson one year	100.00
	Town 17 R. 9	
July 24th 1838	A.B. Florer three years	100.00
August 18th "	Elias N. Reynolds three years	100.00
	Town 18 R 9	
July 19 "	Isaac Hobert three year	300.00

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Town 17 R 10

March 7th 1838 James D. Williams one year 226.00

Town 19 R 10

June 16th 1838 James Bradburn one year 100.00

The Above sums all secured
by Mortgage on Real Estate

All which is

Very Respectfully Submitted

James Thompson

School Comr N.C.

Amount loaned belonging to the Common School Fund since March 1838, to wit

June 6th 1838 Amount loaned John Fosdick, one year 100.00

" 22d " " James Davidson one year 180.00

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate

James Thompton School Comr.

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James Thompson School Comrs Report

This day James Thompson School Comr made report which is in the words and figurers following to wit

"To the honorable bard /board/ of Commissioners of Vermillion County in session Sept. Term A.D. 1838. I here-

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with furnish you with a statement of Monies Recd by me as School Comr sinch /since/ March Term last, to wit;

For Town 14 R 9 W.

March 5th 1838 advance interest Recd of Francis M. Mitchell on the residue of the Purchase money due on lot No 8	$3.68
" 5 do on lot no nine	3.60
" " do B.R. Whitcomb on lot no 1	14.40
" " " - - - on lot no 12	3.60
" " do of Wm Parent per amt loaned	9.00
May 8 do of Joseph Hopkins on lot No 3	18.00
" " do - - - on lot No 6	3.60
" " do of Samuel Davidson on lot No 2	21.60
" " do of Chester Clarke on lot No 11	3.60
June 2 do of James Clarke on lot No 5	3.60
March 14 do of John Porter per amount loaned	10.39
	$ 94.99

1838 Township 15 R. 9

July 2d Advance interest received of Wm Skidmore	
" " as per amount loaned	$4.20
" 2 advance Int recd of John B. Geer per amount loaned	4.20
" 19 advance Interest received of Joel Blakesley	
" " per amount loaned	3.90
June 20 Advance Interest recd of Enoch White	
" " on lot No 5	3.72

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"	20 do of Zachariah D. James per amt loaned	2.80
June 23d	advance Interest Recd of Samuel Skidmore	
"	" per amount loaned	7.20
July 19	do Nathaniel Owen per amt loaned	3.00
"	19 do of William Laswell per amt loaned	7.33
		$ 36.35

1838 Township 16 R 9

June 2d	Advance Interest Recd of Wm Slater on lot no 7	$2.25
July 5	Advance Interest recd of Galon M. Brown per amt loanted	16.20

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July 7	do of David W. Clover per amt loaned	18.00
"	7 Do of Jacob M. Jackson per amt loanted	4.20
August 17	Do of Jeremiah Highfield on lot No 8	2.25
"	18th Do of Philip French per amt loaned	6.00
		$48.90

Advance Interest Recd of Edward Jordon pr amt

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loaned	6.00
	$ 54.90

Township 17 N.R. 9

July 24 1838 Advance Interest Recd of Alex B. Florer pr amount loaned	$ 6.00
August 18 Advance Interest Recd of Elias N. Reynolds per amount loaned	6.00
	$ 12.00

Township 18 R 9 W.

June 10th 1838 Advance Interest recd of Josephine Collett on lot No 1	$ 23.57½
" Do " " " on lot No 2	24.37½
" Do " " " on lot No 3 (34.84)	34.84
" " " on lot No 4	31.42½
" 19 " Advance Interest recd of Isaac Hobert per amount Loaned	18.00
	132.43½

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August 16th Advnace Interest received of Paul Clover on thr residue of the purchase money due on lot No 3	$4.18
" do on lot No 6	6.50
" do on lot No 8	4.50
" do of John Martin on lot No 5	4.51
	$19.70

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Township 17 R 10

March 7th 1837,	Advance Interest recd of Luther Power on lot No 7	$18.08
" do	on lot No 12	6.74
" do	of James & Samuel Groenendyke per amount loaned	18.00
" do	of James D. Williams per amt loaned	13.56
		$56.38

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Township 19 Range 10

August 8th 1838	Advance Interest recd of Joseph Howard on lot No 1	$20.90
" do	" on lot No 6	20.51
" 13	" of John Russellon lot No 2	11.74
" do	" " " on lot No 3	15.07
" Do	" " " on lot No 4	14.82
" Do	" " " on lot No 5	14.77
" 14	" Recd Clarkson C. Williams on lot No 8	12.04
" " "	Do on lot No 9	12.73
" " "	Do on lot No 11	10.67
" 18	" Recd of Richard Shuto on lot no 7	26.87

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Do do	on lot No 10	20.87
Do do	on lot No 12	10.00
" 27 "	Advance Interest Recd of Thomas Wright per amount loaned	18.00
		$209.09

Common School Fund

June 6th 1838,	to amount recd of Wm. H.H. Scott, agent of the State of Indiana for loaning the Surplus Revenue	$100.00
6th	Advance Interest recd of John Fosdick per amount loaned	6.00
July 5th	Recd of William H.H. Scott agent	200.00
" 22	Advance Interest recd James Davidson pr amount loaned	10.80
August 25th	Recd Elijah R. Ferrell six dollars and thirty cents being one fourth part of the purchase money of 20 acres in the S.W. qr Sec 32 T. 15 R 9 W.	6.30
" 25 "	Advance Int. Recd on the residue of the purchase money due	1.13
" 25 "	Recd of R.M. Waterman the purchase money of lot No 82 in the town of Eugene	1.35
" 25 do	of S.S. Collett the purchase money of lot No 1 in the town of Springfield	1.00
	Lot No 42 in the town of Perrysville	11.01

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$337.59

All which is Very Respectfully Submitted

James Thompson

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Parks Road

Oriered that a review of the following route for a road be authorised Viz Commencing at the Army ford road at the south east corner of section 20 thence west with the section line to the half mile stake of section No 19 thence westward to intersect the Cameon Range ten between Jacob Iles and Lewis Jones thence west with said Lane to said Jones house and that Luther Powrs, Alexander Arrowsmith and James West, be appointed to view said route and report their proceedings at the next session of this board.

Order Issued Sept 11th 1838

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones Comr of the three per cent fund pay to Benjamin Pierce the sum of forth eight dollars for extra work done by him on the bridge over Little Racoon Creek out of said 3 per cent fund remaining in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Order Issued

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones Comr of the three per cent fund be directed to expend the sum of fity nine dollars

of said fund in repiaring the State Road leading from Newport to Clinton on that part of said Road relocated under an Act of the General Assembly Approved Feby. 4, 1837 by Philip French Comr.

Prdered that Joseph Shaw be directed to expend the sum of two hundred and twenty one dollars 45 cents being the amount of three per cent fund remaining in his hands as follows Viz

On that part of the State road leading from Newport to Clinton comprising the Hill near French's Blacksmith shop the sum of forty dollars.

On the east side of the Hill on the road leading from Highland to Montezuma Sixty dollars

On the Hill at Newport fifty dollars

Order Issued

On the road leading from Newport to Eugene in Robert Elliots lane north of his house twenty two dollars.

On the Bridge at Newport fifteen dollars

On the Hills on the north & south sides of little Raccoon on the State Road from Newport to Clinton thirty four dollars & forty five cents. The whole to be expended with a view to economy and public utility between this and the first day of the next Novr. Session of this board at which time said Shaw is required to amke report of his actings and doings herein.

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Session 1838 3rd Day.

O.I. 173 Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed the sum of two dollars & fifty cents for his services as School Trustee T. 17 N R 9 W. up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O.I. 174 Ordered that John W. Rush be allowed fifty cents for recording the Indenture of Hannah Pierce a pauper out of any money in the Treaury not otherwise appropriated.

Issued Road District No 8 in Vervillion Township.

Ordered that Bevin R. Barns be appointed Supervisor of the road in said District for one year from this day.

O I 175 Ordered that E.B. James be allowed six dollars for his services as Commissioner at this term out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

C I. 176 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge be allowed six dollars for his services as Comr at this term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O I 177 Ordered that Nathaniel W. Davis be allowed the sum of two dollars & twenty five cents for hauling Saw dust and Wood out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Nathaniel W. Davis be employed to furnish Wood for the Clerks office of the Courts of this County

until the first Monday of May next at one dollar & twenty five cents per cord.

Notice Issued

Ordered that John B. Yeager Collector of the State & County Revenue be required to file with the Clerk of this Board a bond as Collector in the sum of five thousand Dollars with good freehold security on or before the next term of this Board the bond heretofore being disapproved by the Board.

Ordered that the Board adjourn till next term in Course.

Chas Trowbridge)
Signed September 5th 1838 E.B. James) Comrs.

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Board of Commissioners

1st Day November Term 1838.

Monday November 5th 1838 at a Board of Commissioners Began and held at the Court House in Newport on the day and year last aforesaid.

Charles Trowbridge)
(Present) Thomas Chenoweth) Comrs
Elijah B. James)

Ordered that Burch Reed be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Nineteen dollars and fifty cents for sustaining James Starrett a pauper of Eugene Township from the first

day of August 1838 to the first day of November in two orders as follows to wit.

O I 178 One order for Eleven dollars & fifty cents $11.50

O I 179 One do " Eight dollars 8.00

Out of any money in the Treaury not otherwise appropriated

O I 180 Ordered that George Sanders be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twenty one dollars & eighty seven cents for boarding and keeping Elizabeth Lays nine weeks and also for the funeral expences out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Daniel Lacy Road.

The petition of William Cartihers & others to vacate said road and also a remonstrance against said Petition haveing been three times publicly read, on mature deliberation of the board it is ordered that Samuel Ater, John Hines & John Hoobler be and they are hereby appointed viewers to review said road and make report of their views and opinions at the next term of this Court to wit of "The following survey of a road leading from the County road to the State road being in Township 18 N. of range 10 W was made by me on the 11th day of Dec. 1837 to wit Beginning at and in the center of the County road, leading from Perrysville to George Town 80 Poles E of the S.W. Corner of section 9 at the S.E. Corner of William Lacys land, thence running 7° 25 W 160 P. between /between/ Wm Lacys land

and S. Morris land 80 P. between D. Lacys & M. Cole 80 P. on J.P. Lacys land to section line between sections 9 & 4 thence N 6° 45 W. 160 P. between G.H. Minert & Burget 135 P. between C. Dennis & A. Gauffs to the State road leading from Perrysville to Danville.

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Ordered that Phineas Herbert be and he is hereby allowed the sum of eleven dollars for two coffins & boxes
O I 181 for Dennis & Child paupers of Highland Township out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Samuel Groenendyke of Eugene be and he is hereby licenced to vend foreign and domestic Groceries & foreign Merchandize for the term of one year from this date on his paying in to the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars

O I 182 Ordered that Dianah Patton be and she is hereby allowed the sum of thirty seven dollars for boarding & nurseing & sundries furnished Emiline Carmel thirty four days out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

O I Ordered that Frecerick Spangler be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Clinton Township officers.

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O I 183 Ordered that David W. Clover be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars and thirty two cents for Stationaries furnished the clerks office up to this day out of any money in the treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

I 184 O Ordered that Joel Blakesley be and he is herebyallowed the sum of twelve dollars and thirty four cents for sustaining Adam Smith a pauper of Helt Township from the first Monday of September 1838 until the first Monday of November 1838 our of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that William Clover be and he is hereby allowed for Candles furnished at the September Term of the Circuit Court 1838 the sum of one dollar and fifty cents out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for his extra serveices up to the present term of this board out of any money in the treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the Baliffs /Bailiffs/ of Petit and Grand Jurors to wit, at September Term 1838 Allen Stroud 6 days nine dollars

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O I 185	Petit Jury	$9.00
O 186 I	William Malone four days six dollars do	6.00
O I 187	John S. Oxford 1 day one dollar do	1.00
O I 188	William A. Lawless do	2.00
	Bailiff of Grand Jury	
O I 189	Eli Newlin 5 days	7.50

Ordered that fowing /following/ fums be allowed to Petit Jurors for the term of September 1838 of the V.C.C. to wit.

O I 190	George Bindley five days three dollars and seventy five cents	$3.75
O I 191	Samuel Chandler fime days " "	3.75
O I 192	Archibald Kelsoe five days " "	3.75
_/ 193	Jonathan Peter five days " "	3.75
_/ 194	David Rush fivedays " "	3.75
I O 195	Jacob Groves five days " "	3.75
_/ 196	William T. Cummings five days " "	3.75
_/ 197	William Utter one day	75
_/ 198	James E. Anderson five days	3.75
_/ 199	Job Billing three days	2.25
_/ 200	Joshua Dean five days " "	3.75
_/ 201	William Dickerson five days " "	3.75
_/ 202	Henry F. Jackson do do " "	3.75
O I 203	N.W. Davis 2 days " "	1.50
_/ 204	Simeon Dicken 1 do " "	75
_/ 205	James Dicken 1 do " "	75
_/ 206	Benj Whittenmyer 1 do " "	75
O I 207	Geo. S. Hansicker 1 do Yeager " "	75

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_/ 208	Thomas Chenoweth	1 do	"	"	75
_/ 209	Geo. W. Palmer	1 do	"	"	75
_/ 210	William Peters	1 do			75
_/ 211	Philemon Thomas	1 do	"	"	75
_/212	John Filson	1 do	"	"	75
_/ 213	Thomas Lyons	1 do	"	"	75
_/214	Joel Dicken	1 do	"	"	75
_/ 215	Samuel Prather	1 do	"	"	75

_/ 216 Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents for hand cuffs and ancle /ankle/ fetter for McGinnis a convict to the State Prison out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

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1st Day November Term 1838 5th

O 217 to Bales Ordered that George W. Hunter be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars for carrying chain 2 days in surveying section sixteen Town fourteen north of range ten west in 1837 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that A.B. Florer, Clerk be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for extra services up to the present term divivided /divided/ in two orders as follows to wit.

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/ 218 One for eleven dollars and fifty cents $11.50

I 219 One for two dollars and fifty cents 2.50

Out of any money in the treasurey not otherwise appropriaed

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow Morning Nine O'clock A.M.

Signed November 6th 1838 Chas Trowbridge)
Thos. Chenoweth) Comrs.
E.B. James)

Tusday/Tuesday/ morning November 6th 1838 9 Oclock AM.

The Board met pursueant /pursuant/ to adjournment

Presant /present/ as yesterday.

Malone Road.

Jonathan Peter and Lazarus Wright two of the viewers appointed at the last term of this Court to view the route proposed by the petition of David Shoemaker and others to change the State road running from the Wabash river opposite Montezuma to the State line as follows towit "Commencing on the West bank of the Wabash river opposite the town of Montezuma, running west in the direction of Paris Illinois as far as the State line which was located in said road to wit "To commence north of M. Gromleys house or farm where the said road is located on the Bluff thence through Trowbridges lane west 60 ro 70 rods thence south of David Shoemakers farm in a westerly direction to the mouth of the hollow at his house thence with the road that

is now cut out to the boundary line between the district of Vincennis and Crawfordsville land offices thence south west to the land of Mary Chambers and Nehemiah Hollingworth thence with said line 65 rods west thence south to the new cut out road three or four rods thence with said road where said road crosses a small ravine thence south of said road until it strikes at or near the south west corner of the south east quarter of section thirty two town sixteen range nine west west of Abraham Hollingsworth land on the Township to intersect the old road and to make report of their proceedings at the next term of this board in November next made the following report Viz)see page 45 for report)

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2nd Day Nov. Term 1838.

James Thompson County Treasurer this day produced to the Board his annual report of receipts and disbursements for the year ending at this term which is filed approved and ordered to be spread upon the record and is in these words and figures Viz.

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County in Session November Term 1838.

I herewith furnish you with an account of Moneys received and disbursed by me as Treasurer since November

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Term 1837 Viz:

Amount charged against William Bales Collector for County purposes as per Duplicate for 1837. $4542.64½

Amount assessed and collected by Wm Bales Collector as per his return to me 88.95

4631.59½

Deduct from above amount of $4631.59½

Amount of Delenquencies asper return 298.24

Collectors Commission on $4333.25 a 6 per ct 259.99 558.28

Amount received by me in Treasury paper $4073.36½

Amount recd from Vendors of foreign Merchandize

Tr paper		104.00
" "	" Foreign & Dom Groceries do	353.33
" "	" Exhibitions do	68.00
" "	" Jury fees do	4.50
		$4603.19½

Amount of Treasurer Commissions on $4603.19½ a 3 per ct 138.09

Amount of County orders produced & cancelled 4465.10½

4603.19½

All of which is respectfullu submitted Nov 4 1838

James Thompson

T.V.C.

/ 220 Ordered that James Thompson be allowed one dollar and seventy three cents for monies in Treasury paper returned

by him over and above his actual liability as Treasuary out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

O 221 I Ordered that William Malone be and he is hereby allowed the sum of seventy five cents for his services as returning Judge of the August Election out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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O I 222 Ordered that Mile & Hopkins be and they are hereby allowed the sum of fifty three dollars and seventy five cents for their Medical services to Emeline Carman up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that David Loveall be and he is hereby allowed the sum of eighteen dollars for sustaining George Parley of Highland Township from the 7th day of September 1838 until the 20th day of October 1838 divided into two orders as follows to wit

C I 223 One order for ten dollars $10.00

C I 224 One order for eight dollars 8.00

Ordered that John Fultz be and he is hereby allowed the sum of three dollars for sustaining a daughter of Widow Dennis a pauper of Highland Township for one week

C I 225 commenceing the 7th day of Sept 1838 out of any money in

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Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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October 11 A.D. 1838.

We Jonathan Peter and Lazarus Wright, viewers named in the within order being duly qualified proceeded to view said change in said road on petition of David Shoemaker and others on the road named in the said order by calling on James Osborne Surveyor who attended and proceeded to Survey said change as shown by us Beginning at a white oak stump on the Bluff north of M. Ghormleys farm thence south 75d west 14 rods south 84 d west 14 rods S 75 d west 6 rods No 80 degrees west 55 rods 389½ d west 24 rods S 40 d W 38 rods S 76 d west 17 rods S 33 d W 10 Rood S 33½ W 26 rods S. 74 d W 37 roods No 96 d W 13 roods N 43 d W 13 roods S 74 d W 15 roods S 84 d W 34 roods N 88d W 37 roods S 25d W 22 roods W 65 roods S 47d W 29 roods S 24d W 28 roods S 55d W 68 roods S 17d W 20 roods S 68d W 46 roods S 50 DW 30 rods S 55 W 67 after making the changes and surveying the same find the old route to be six hundred and sixty rods and after making the changes find the same to be seven hundred and 36 roods which increases the distance seventy six rods, and further we believe the changes to be of public utility and on much better ground than it was.

Given under our hands and Seals) Jonathan Peter (Seal)
November 3d A.D. 1838) Lazanus Wright (Seal)

And the Board being satisfied that the road according

to the above mentioned and reported change is in equally good repair and of greater public utility than that part of the old road lying between the extreme points embraced within said change, do order that the same be

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established as part of the State road therein named in lieu of that portion of said road prayed to be changed which said part of the old road is hereby vacated and that said established road be opened at least forty feet wide.

_/ 326 Ordered that John Thurman be and he is hereby allowed the sum of seventeen dollars for sustaining Mrs. Ray a pauper of Highland township up to the present term out of any money in the Treaury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 227 Ordered that Joel Hume be and he is hereby allowed the sum of ten dollars for his services as associate Judge at the term of September 1838 5 days out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 228 Ordered that Joseph Shaw be and he is hereby allowed the sum of ten dollars for five days services as associate Judge for the term of September 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed for their

services as Grand Jurors for the term of September A.D. 1838 as follows to wit.

_/ 229	Cuthbert H. Spangler	4 days	$3.00
O I 230	James Bradburn	4 do	3.00
_/ 231	Jesse Fox	4 do	3.00
_/ 232	James Armour	4.do	3.00
_/ 233	George Moyer	3 do	2.25
_/ 234	James White	4 do	3.00
O I 235	Elijah Roseberry	4 do	3.00
O I 236	John Williams	4 do	3.00
_/ 237	Samuel Ater	3 do	2.25
_/238	George Bales	3 do	2.25
_/ 239	Westley Southhard	4 do	3.00
O I 240	Samuel Nolan	4 do	3.00
_/ 241	Richard Haworth	4 do	3.00
_/ 242	William Coslet	4 do	3.00
_/ 243	Thomas Harris	4 do	3.00
_/ 244	Thomas Kelsoe	4 do	3.00
_/ 245	Richard Dicken	4 do	3.00

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This day Daniel A. Jones agent of the three per cent produced to the Board his report which is filed and approved and ordered to be spread upon the record and in the

words and figuers following to wit "To the honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County at their November Session A. Dorneni 1838 agreeable to the order of the Board made at your September Session I, let out the making of a Bridge and excavating the Bank on the new laid out road north of Highland to Samuel Wishard for fifty seven dollars which he has done agreeable to contract being the ballance of the three per cent funds in my hands.

Paid Samuel Wishard	$57.00
My fees	2.00
	$59.00
By amt paid Pearce as per order of the Board	48.00
	107.00
D.A. Jones Agt 3 per ct fee	25
Newport Novr 5th 1838 Fund	107.25

Be it remembered that at the September term of this Board an order was made requireing Joseph Shaw agent of the three per cent fund to expend the amount of said three per cent fund therein his hands on certain roads in said order mentioned and make report of his proceedings at this term. It is now ordered that the said Joseph Shaw be and he is hereby allowed until the next term of this court to make his report.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 Oclock A.M.

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Signed November 7th 1838

Chas Trowbridge)
Thomas Chenoweth) Commissioners
E.B. James)

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Wednesday morning November 7th 1838

The Board met pursueant to adjournment

Present as Yesterday.

Oriered that Whitcomb & Dole be licenced to vend foreign Merchdize and foreign and domestic in the Town of Clinton for one year from the first day of this Term on their paying in to the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

/ 246 Oriered that John Hopkins be allowed the sum of one dollar for makeing return at the august election 1838 & also for makeing the return of Election of Hume associate Judge out on any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

OI 247 to T Huff Oriered that Allen Stroud Jailor be allowed the sum of seven dollars and eighty one cents for Bourding Isaac McGinnis a prisioner in the jail from the 6th of September to the 30th of the same month 1838 at 31¼ per day out of

any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Parkes Road.

James West & Alexander Arrowsmith two of the viewers appointed at the September of this Board to view the rout and report their preceedings at this term said road to commence at the army ford road at the Southeast corner of setion 20 thence West with the section line to the half mile stak of section No 19 thence westward to Intersect the lane on on range ten between Jacob Iles and Lewis Jones thence west with said line to said Jones house, do make the following report to wit, "To the Honorable Boar of County Commissioners of Vermillion County Indiana, the undersigned appointed by an order of your Honorable Board to view and locate a road from the S E corner of section 20 Township No 18 N of range No 9 west ask leave to report the we repaired to the place indicated in the order above alluded to on Saturday the 27th of October last, and after being duly qualified proceeded to discharge the duties assigned us by your order calling to our assistance Geo. H Mc Neal as surveyor and Burrel Sanders and James Sander chain bearrers, and Jacob Iles Marker by commenceing at the S E corner of Sec 20 T 18 N of range 9 w and running thence due W 492 ps thence 71 0/10 ps thence S 21½ W 33 1/10 thence West 72 6/10 ps thence N. 304 4/10 ps to the Brick house of Lewis Jones a plat and

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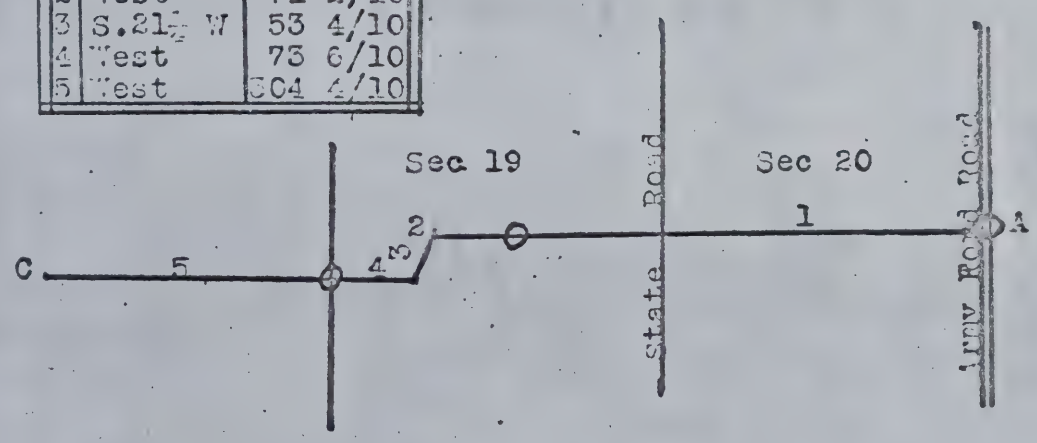
description of which herewith annexed above the signature of the said G.H. McNeel Surveyor, we ask leave further to report to your honorable Board that we believe that the road above described will be of great public utility and will be calculated in an Emenant degree to subscribe to the convenience of Lewis Jones.

James West)
)
Alexander Arrowsmith)Viewers

A Plat of the foregoing road

Bearings & C		
A the Beginning & running thence		
1	West	492 Rs
2	West	71 2/10
3	S.21½ W	53 4/10
4	West	73 6/10
5	West	304 4/10



Which report, being publicly read and no objections being made to the said proposed road, it is therefore ordered that the report of the said viewers be recorded and that the said road be opened to the width of forty feet and that it be hence forth kept in repair, as a public highway, of which the supervisors of roads are to take notice.

Test A.B. Florer Clerk

O I 248	Ordered that the following sums be allowed to wit.	
	James West viewer of Parkes road 1 day	$1.00
OI 249	Alexander Arrowsmith viewer on Parkes road 1 day	1.00
OI 250	Burrell Sanders chain carries 1 day	1.00
OI 251	James Sanders do 1 do	1.00
OI 252	Jacob Iles Blazer 1 do	1.00
OI 253	George H. McNeel Surveyor	2.50

Ordered that Richard M. Waterman b e allowed the sum of one dollar and twenty five $1.25 for medical services rendered to James Starritt a pauper of Eugene Township up
OI 254 to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Bales Road a change in

On application of Augustus Ford for a change in the

County road known as the Bales road to commence at the point on the south line of his land where the same crosses his line thence with said south line west to the road known as Boyles road thence north with said road to the place of intersection with said Bales road ordered that James A. White James Harper & John Skidmore be and they are hereby appointed to survey mark & lay out said proposed change and make report of their proceedings and views at the next term of this Board.

Nuckles Road Change

Now at this term is produced the report of the viewers appointed to view the change prayed for favorable to said change. It is therefore ordered that said report be approved and said change be made as requested.

Perrysville Road

The viewers appointed on said road at a former session make the following report Viz. The undersigned viewers named in the within order, after haveing been duly qualified proceeded on the 2d of Nov. 1838, to view the ground within the points named in said order and ascertained that Green street from Liberty to Water street is already opened and in use, as a public Highway, that of the ground embraced within the lines of the said green street from Water street to the Wabash River a distance of about 240 feet a part is already deeded to the County of Vermillion for a

public highway and surther they believe it would conduce to the general interest of community and be of public utility to have a road opened to the Wabash River, from the s aid Water Street in continuation of and on a course rangeing with the lines of said Green Street, and the undersigned would recommend that the whole of the said Green Street embraced within the points named in the order refered to be declared a County road, all of which is respectfully Submitted.

R.J. Gesse)
)
Milo Gookins) Viewers

Which report being publicly read and no objections being made to the said proposed road it is therefore ordered, that the

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report of the said viewers be recorded, and that the said road be opened to the width of forty feet, and that its henceforth kept in repair as a public Highway, of which the Supervisors are to take notice.

Ordered that Waterman & Small be allowed the sum of twenty four dollars and fifty cents for Medicins and services rendered to Samuel Dennis and famaly paupers of High-

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CI 255 land Township in full of their Medical bill up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated

CI 256 Ordered that Waterman & Small M.D. be alowed the sum of twelve dollars for medicins & services for Parsley a pauper of Highland Township which is in full of their Medical bill for said pauper up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

CI 257 Ordered that R.M. Waterman be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for his services as returning Judge of the August Election 1838 & the Election of Joel Hume associate Judge out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 258 Ordered that William Clover be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for candles furnished the Circuit Court at the September Term 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 259 Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for extra services out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 260 Ordered that William Bales formerly collector be allowed the sum of three dollars and fifty cents being amount over charged to him as collector out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that William Bales the former collector of the State and County revenue be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for that much of the State tax

improperly assessed and collected and by him paid in to the State Treasury, and that the Treasurer of the State be requestedto pay the same out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered that Court adjourned untill tomorrow morning 9 Oclock A.M.

Thos Chenoweth)
Chas Trowbridge) Comrs
Signed November 8th 1838 E.B. James)

Thursday Morning November 8th 1838.

The Board met pursueant to adjournment.

Present as Yesterday.

Jones & Iles Road from Lewis Jones House to Wabash.

The petition presented at the last May session and the remonstrance thereto being at this time duly considered and it appearing from the said remonstrance that public utility does not call for the placeing said road under the Supervisor as prayed for in said petition. It is ordered that the praye of said petition be refused.

John Wood Executor of Supply Butterfield Road Formerly Known as Jones & Iles Road.

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On motion of Jacob Iles and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that the reasons which induced the application for said road commenceing on the Wabash river at Williams ford through Jacob Iles land by the way of Lewis Jones ford to the State line, no longer exist (said Wood having sold the land intended to be benefited thereby to said Iles) and it appearing also that said road has not been opened and there be ng no evidence of record that any part of the expences of reviewing the same have been paid according to the terms of the order establishing the same and it being known to the board that a part of said expenses have never been tendered or paid, and for the further reason that a road has been regularly established without opposition between the extreme points of said road calculated in all respects to subserve the publick convenience It is ordered that the privilege granted to the saif John Wood by the said order made at the May session 1830 be and the same is hereby annulled and set aside and the said order of the Board at the said May term 1830 is vacated for the reasons above set forth.

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OI 261 Ordered that Elijah B. James Commissioner 1 idst be

allowed the sum of eighty dollars for his services as Comr for the present term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 262 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge Comr of the 2d district be allowed the sum of eighty dollars for his services as Comr at the present Term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 263 Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth Comr of the 3d district be allowed the sum of eight dollars for his services as Comr of the present Term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The Bonds Given by John B. Yeager Collector of the State & County Revenue for the year 1838, and the Board haveing this day examined said Bonds do order that same be approved.

_/ Ordered that Joseph Shaw agent of the three per cent fund be required to expend the sum of twenty dollars on that part of the State road leading from Newport to Eugene as lies between ~~Curtis and Thompson and make report of~~ Robert Elliotts hous and the mouth of the lane between Curtis and Thompson and make report of his proceedings at the next term of this Board.

_/ Ordered that Joseph Shaw agent of the three per cent fund be required to expend the sum of thirty nine dollars and sixty six cents on that part of the State road leading from Montezuma in a direction of Paris Illinoin as lies

between the town of Highland and the Wabash River it being the ballance of the three per cent fund donated in Helt Township & remaining in his hands at the September Term of this Board which remains unexpended and makes report of his proceedings at the next term of this Court.

Ordered that John Aye be appointed a Commissioner in place of Henry Bodard who was appointed at the November Term 1837 and ahs refused, to serve, to expend so much of the road fund as is allotted to Helt Township to wit the sum of sixty eight dollars, and that the said Commissioner be authorized to call upon the County Treasurer for the sum aforesaid upon his fileing a Bond in the office of the Clerk in the sum of One Hundred and thirty six dollars payable to the board doing County business with good free hold security, and to expend the same on or before the first Monday in May next and make report of his proceedings to this board accordingly.

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Benjmin Shaw Road.

On petition of Sundry Citizens of Vermillion Township for a change in the road leading from Eugene to Benjamin Shaws Mills on the little Vermillion River beginning at or near the half mile stake between sections No 7 & 18,

running thence south of west, so as to strike the line running north and south through the center of the northwest quarter of section No 18 Township No 17 north of range 9 west thence south to the top of the big hill thence on the nearest and best way to the foot of said of said Hill, ordered that Joseph Wilkinson, Alexander Arrowsmith & James D. Williams be and they are hereby appointed viewers to survey marke & lay out said road and make report of their proceedings at the next term of this Board.

Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of six dollars and fifty cents for 1 reem paper $3.00 1 paper sand 125 bottles bottles ink 87½ 1 blank Book $2.50 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that A.B. Florer be allowed the liberty of contracting with any person for fuel for the Clerks office provided that that if N.W. Davis does not comply with his wood contract as was the understanding of the Board in the Goodness & quality of the wood at the September 1838.

Ordered that John W. Rush recorder of Vermillion County be allowed the use of the south west room of the Court House until the first Monday in January next to be used as a recorders Office provided he the said Rush will not suffer said room to be used by any other person than him self or deputy and shall not sufferict to be used by any other person or persons for any other use whatsoever,

and he is allowed the west side of the public squar to throw his wood which he the said Rush is to furnish at his own expence, and further that the said Rush or his deputy is not to suffer any drinking of spiritous liquors are gambling of any kind in said room and the said Rush or his deputy is to be carful in putting out the fire every night, and give up peacible possission when ever required by a majority of the Board even if it should be before the first day of January above mentioned.

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_/ 265 Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth Comr be allowed the sum of four dollars for his services as such for the term of Novr 1837 omitted to be allowed heretofore, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 266 Ordered that Elijah B. James Comr be allowed the sum four dollars for his services as such for term of Novr 1837 omitted to be allowed heretofore out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Court in Course.

Chas Trowbridge)
Signed Novr 8th 1838 Thos Chenoweth) Commissioners
E.B. James)

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A copy of certificate forwarded to the County Treasurer of the amounts chaged against John B. Yeager collector of the State and County revenue for the year A.D. 1838, for County purposes as follows to wit, "State of Indiana County of Vermillion Sct, I Alexander B. Florer Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County aforesaid certify that John B. Yeager collector of the State and County Revenue for the year A.D. 1838, stands charted on the Duplicate in the sum of four thousand four hundred and ninety six dollars & fifty eight cents as taxes for County purposes, and that the sum of twenty eight dollars and forty six cents is also charged against said collector as road tax upon none resident lands makeing in all the sum of four thousand five hundred and twenty five dollars and four cents.

( ) In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of said County at my office in Newport this 27th day of November A.D. 1838.

Allexander B.Florer Clerk.

Parishes Grove Road

Report of State Road

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"State of Indiana Warren County SS. Be it remembered that I Perrin""Kent of the County of Warren and State aforesaid was by the Hon General""Assembly appointed a Commissioner to view mark and locate a""State road leading from Parishes Grove to Chicago to Sugar Creek in"Warren" "County from thence to the line divideing Warren & Vermillion Counties at""the first section line east of the State line, thence south south on"" said line to the County road near the Holdsways, thence with" " said road to the northeastern bend commonly (called) as the Slip Bank," " did on the fifteenth day of October A.D. 1838, after being duly qualified," " proceeded to locate said road, takeing to my assistance Thomas" "Myers and John B. Kent as chainman and Jesse Tomlinson as Flag" "bearer, and Daniel Miller as Marker who were severly sworn" " to the faith discharge of their respective duties, commence at a point where" " the chesepeak road crosses the range line between ranges 9 & 10 from" " thence on said line north to the north Boundry of T 24 N to assertain whether" " said range line, would be suitable for to locate said road or no, after" " examining the prarie farther east, I found it to be better calculated" " to make a good road owning to its being more rowling I then proceeded" " to place of beginning, from thence I run on the old road to the" " crossing of Muc Creek from thence to Hickory Grove from thence "

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" to redwood point, from thence I run so as to intercect the Williams" " road to the corner of sections, 20,21,28, 29 in Township No 2o, north of" " Range No 10 W from thence southwsith the line sections 28 & 29 to the" " south. Boundry of said County of Warren, at at the first"

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In Vacation of the January Term 1838 "section line east of the State line, I then on the 31st day of October A.D. 1838" " proceed that to locate, that part of said road that lies in Vermillion Co." "unty,, takeing to my assistance Thomas Myers and Edward Taylor as chain" " man, and Daniel Miller as marker and run as follows to wit, Field" " notes of the continuation of a State road, beginning at the crossings of" " Sugar Creek where the road that is laid by Parrises Grove to Chicago," " thence to the south Boundry of Warren County, at the first section line" " east of the State, Thence south on said line to a County road" " near John Holdsways, from thence with said road to the northeastern" " bend of the Big Vermillion River commonly known as the Slip Bank," " south 40 c 50 L set Post 38 mile in Prarie, note the above distance" " was run on the line between sect 5 & 6 Town 13 N.R. 10 W. south 14 C" " 50 State from Perrysville Ind to Danville Ill. south 41 C 25 L field west" " 50 lks 80 C set post for the 39th

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in Prarie south, 35.00 pond 37.50 leave" " pond 40.00 enter same pond 42.00 leave same 45.00 house, east 2 chs occ-" " ipied by Jas Prather 40.00 Enter lane 47.00 enter field E & W 80.00 set posts" " for the 40th mile, same 80.00 set posts for the 41st mile Black Jack Jack" " 12.6.69 E 150, note the above bearing tree Stands in a small Grove" "east of the Road same 7.00 road east & west 72.50 enter small Grove 80.00" " set posts for the 42d mile S. oak 22 S 74th 308.160, same 1600 leave" " grove and enter Prarie 28.00 enter timber bears east & N W 40.60 passed" " the corner of 29,30,31,32,-69.00 Brook course S E 80.00 set post for the" " 43d mile Sugar trees 20 S 69 E land level and some wet, same 7.50" "Brook course east, 21.50 State road from Perrysville to Danville Ill, 64.50" " Brook 20 course east, 80.00 set post for the 44th mile B. Oake 22 N 61 W, 23-" "Same 78.00 full east 80 set post for the 45th mile, Wash 18 N 5° W 58-" "Same 51.50 County road from Perrysville to GeorgeTown Ill, 71.00 Brook" " 10 lks course east, 80.00 set post for the 46yh mile span Oak 22 N 83" "21- same 20.50 intersected the County road near Jno Holdsways" " then thence with said road S 0/35 E 23d.00 S 4° 13 17/12 15.31 st Oak" " 1838 S 21° ½ 9.50 S 29 37.50 set post for the 47th mile W Oake" " 22N 48 W 37 - W 25 E 6.00 S 42. E 11.50 S 50½ E 12.00 S 46 E" " 1350 S 24½ E 1800 intersected the left Bks of the Big Vermillion" "S 56½ E 6.00 S 25 E 900.

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S 31 E 400 set post for the 48th mile" " white Oak 18 N 78 W 29 S 43 E 600 S 44 E 750 S 23 E 950 S 64" "E 6.00 crossing the cole branch 75 links cours S S S 53° E 25.00" " S 61 E 7.50 S 57 E 1850 set post for the 49th mile sugar tree" " 20 N 27½ W 29 S 59 E 7.50 ti the top of the Bluff S 51 E 7.50" S 17 E 7.50

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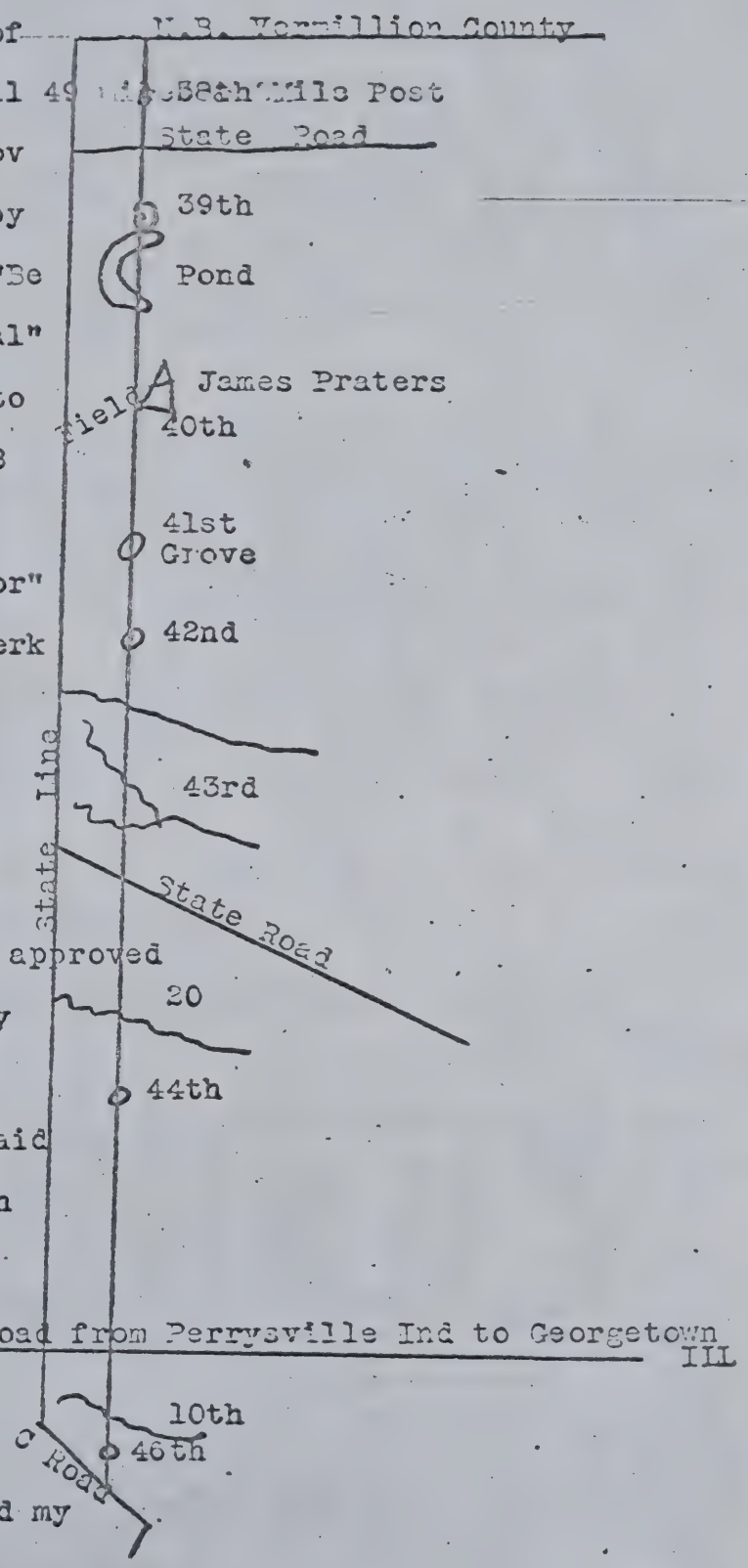
"to the N. Easterly bend of the Vermillion River in all 49 miles & 22" "Chains 1st November A D 1838" "Ido hereby certify the foregoing to""Be a true copy of the original" "field notes taken by me to this""6th day of Novr 1838

"Perin Kent"

"Comr & Surveyor"

I, Alexander B. Florer Clerk of the Circuit and Commioners court certify the road report of Perin Kent Commissioner appointed by the Legislature by an act approved February 17th 1838 is duly recorded in the foregoing together with a plat of said road hereto annexed, which report was by me recorded agreeable to the requirement of said act.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my



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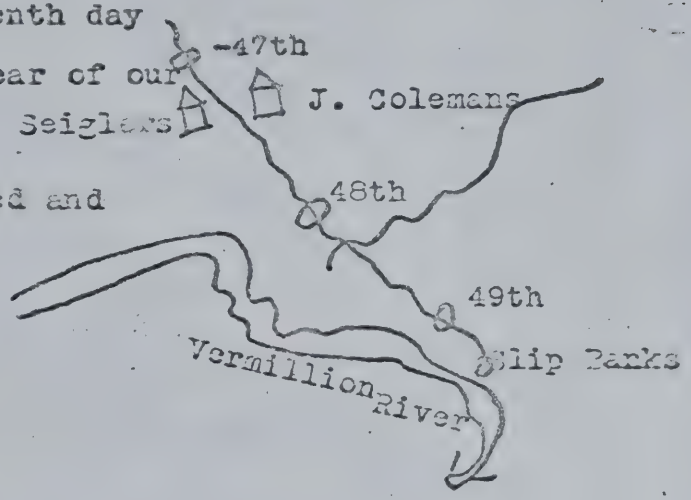
name this twenty seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

A.B. Glorer Clerk



The above plat was laid down by a scale of 80 chains to the inch.

By Perrin Kent Surveyor

6th Nover 1838.

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Board of Commissioners

January Session A.D. 1839

Monday January the seventh in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine, at a Court of the Board of Commissioners began and held at the Court House in Newport, on the day & year aforesaid.

Present Elijah B. James, Thomas Chenoweth, Charles Trowbridge } Commissioners

Ordered that the following sums be allowed as expences

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of Coroners Inquest over the body of Henry Zugg.

_/267	William Malone Coroner	$5.00
_/ 268	John McNeel as Juror	75
_/ 269	William Wipps" "	75
_/ 270	John B. Yeager " "	75
_/ 271	Jacob Miller " "	75
_/ 272	Jacob Riley " "	75
_/ 273	John Fultz " "	75
_/274	R.G. Gessee " "	75
_/ 275	David Haven " "	75
_/ 276	George Hicks " "	75
_/ 277	William G. Berkshire " "	75
_/ 278	Charles English " "	75
_/ 279	William Callehan " "	75
_/ 280	John Oxford as Constable of said Inquest	1.00

Out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that Daiel Lacy be and he is hereby appointed a constable of Highland Township in the place of Edward Bryden resigned to serve until the next anuel April Election upon his fileing Bond with security in the sum of Five hundred dollars to be approved by this board.

_/ 281 Ordered that Henry J. Seal be allowed the sum of two dollars for his services giveing notice to the Coroner of the death of Henry Zugg, out of any money in the Tresury

not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 282 Ordered that Perren Kent of Warren County be allowed the sum of twenty one dollars & 50 cts for his services as Commissioner appointed by an act of the Lislature approved February 17th 1838 to survey and locate a certain road therein named including expence of hands & all contingent expences attached thereto our of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 283 Ordered that Thornton S. Davidson be allowed the sum of three dollars for his Medical services rendered to S. Dennis a pauper of Highland Township up to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 284 Ordered that William Dillow be allowed the sum of one dollar for his servises in going after Coroner to hold inquest over the body of Henry Zugg deceased.

_/ 285 Ordered that George W. Palmer be allowed the sum of four dollars for his servises in keeping George Pably a pauper from the 14th Nov. until the 24th Nov. and for keeping Mary Zugg a pauper from the 30th of December 1838 untill the 6th of January 1839.

_/ 286 Ordered that George W. Palmer be allowed the sum of

sixty two and one half cents for board and lodging Mary Zugg a prisioner charged with a capital crime.

Now on this day Joseph Shaw agent of three per cent fund returned unto Court the following report towit:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners, It was ordered by said board at their September term, that the agent of the three per cent fund expend the sum of two hundred and twenty on dollars and firty five cents on different parts of roads in said County a report of which is herewith submitted that the sum of twenty dollars has been advantageously expended in the lane north of Robert Elliotts house, and that the sum of fifteen dollars has been expended at the bridge near Newport and that the further sum of forty five dollars has been expended on the Hill at Newport and that the further sum of ninety five dollars have been applied to different parts of roads in Helt Township under the Superintendance of John Vandyke Esq. who has not yet reported to me his proceedings/

And further it was ordered by said board at their November Term that the sum of twenty

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dollars be expended on the State road between Robert

Elliotts and Springfield, and that the further sum of thirty nine dollars and sixty six cents be expended on the Hill between Hiland and Montezuma which sum have not been expended owing to the winter setting in earlier than usuall I thought not advisable to expend at this season, so that the whole amount expended is one hundred and seventy five dollars which leaves a ballance in my hands of two hundred and eighteen dollars forty three cents.

Joseph Shaw Agent

3 per cent fune V.C.

Which said report has been examined and accepted by the Court and ordered to be recorded.

On this day came Daniel Lacy & filed his bond as Constable with Garret Lacy & William Lacy his security which Bond after being examined is approved and ordered to be filed.

Ordered that Court adjourn until 9 O'clock tomorrow morning.

E.B. James)
Chas Trowbridge) Comrs
Thomas Chenoweth)

Tuesday Morning January 8th 1839.

The Court met pursuant to adjournment.

Present as Yesterday.

/ 287 Ordered that J.R. Jones be allowed the sum of four

dollars for printing receipts & expenditures for the year ending November 1838 out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 288 Ordered that Allen Stroud Jailor be allowed the sum of ten dollars fifty six cents, for dieting Martha Zugg a prisioner from the 3d of Decr to 24th Decr 1838 being 21 days also 1 woolen rug furnished prisioners in Januray 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that S. & B. Turman licencenced to vend foreign Merchandize in said County for one year from this date on their paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

_/ 289 Ordered that William Bales be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars in full for his extra services as Sheriff up to this term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 290 Ordered that John Dickerson be allowed the sum of fifteen dollars for attending on Henry Zugg at the time of his death four days, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 291 Order that Sylvester Dennis be allowed the sum of

two dollars and fifty cents for attendance of Samuel Dennis formaly in full up to this date, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropirated.

Void Ordered that Gookins & Barnes be allowed the sum of twenty dollars and thirty two cents for goods & Groceries furnished by them to sundry paupers of Highland Township in full up to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Gookins State Road

Report of a State Road.

State of Indiana

Vermillion County Sec; to the Honl Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County the undersigned Commissioner appointed by an act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act, to establish certain States roads therein named, and for other purposes" approved Feb. 17th 1838 After haveing taken an oath faithfully to discharge the duties as Commissioner aforesaid, and haveing employed Perrin Kent, Surveyor of Warren County, and Allen Rogers & Samuel Prather, as chainman, who were sworn to discharge their several respective duties proceeded on the 5th day of December 1838, to view mark and lcoate a State road, commenceing at a point on the State Road leading from Eugene to Brydens cross roads, between certain tracts of land, owned by Abel Woolverton and John W. Rush, in the Southwest quarter

of sec. 5 Township 18 north 9 west, from thence to run in a N.E. direction through said quarter section, to a County road at or near the crossing of Jordans Creek until the same shall intersect the State road leading from the Army Ford on the Big Vermillion to Perrysville and more fully described as follows to wit, commencesing at a post in the center of the said State road fifteen chains north of the south west corner of section five T. 18 N R 9 W from thence as follows.

Courses	Chains	Links	
N 41°½ E	43	50	at 34.50 chs intersectd Perrysville & Georgetown roads at the crossing of Jordens Creek.
N.15° E	36	50	Set post for the first mile from which beards a hickory 24 N

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Courses	Chains	links	85° E 30.
Same	25	00	at 1850 chs enter Rogers meadow
358 E	48	60	at 9 chs Rogers Cooper shop north 25 links at 10 chs passed Rogers Spring North 25 links at 44 chs passed Isaac Chenoweths barn N. 30 lks and house north 5 chs at 48.60 set a post in Isaac Chenoweths lane 10 feet from the line dividing the lands of Chenoweth to Hicks.

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Eact	6	40	Set post from the 2nd mile from which bears a sugar tree 20 S 64½ 96 links.
same	71	50	At 65 chs to the town of Perrysville at 71.50 chs to the cantre of the road leading from the Army ford on the Big Vermillion to Perrysville.

Together with the plat herewith all of which is respectfully submitted.

M. Gookins Comr.

I hereby certify that the above field notes of said road to be a true copy given under my hand this 1st day of Januray 1839.

Perrin Kent - Surveyor

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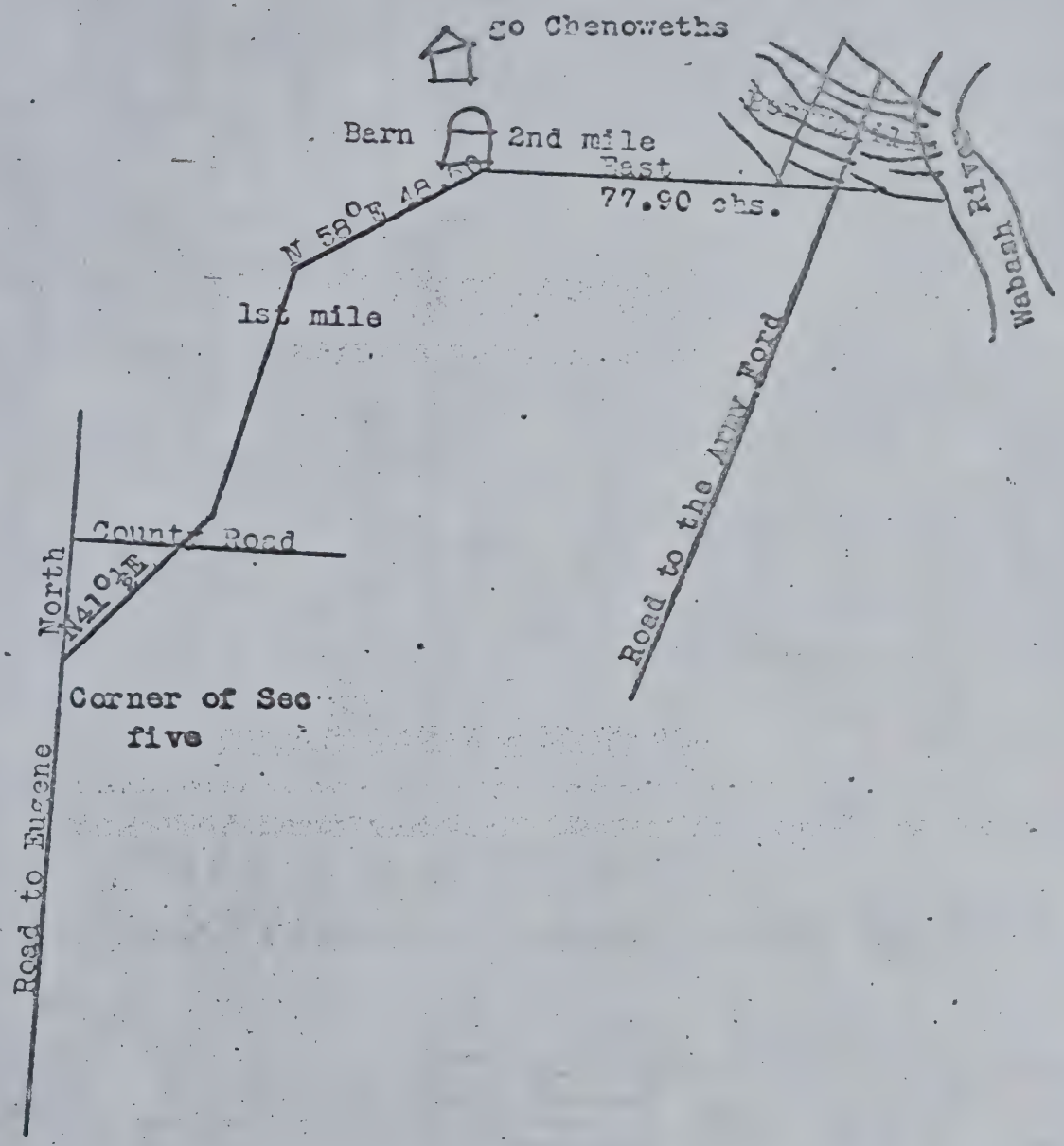

The above is a plat of the road located, from a point in Eugene and Perrysville road, 15 chs north of the south-west corner of section five in T 18 N.R. 9 W. located by Milo Gookins as Comr survey by Perren Kent on the 5 & 6 days of Decr A.D. 1838 laid down by a scale of 40 chs to

the inch.

State road above represented as laid down and located through a part of Vermillion County.

Given under my hand this 1st day of January A.D. 1839.

M. Gilkins Com.

And the above report haveing been publicly read it is ordered to be spread of record and said road ordered to be opened to the width of fifty feet of which the Supervisors of Highways will take notice through whose districts said road may pass.

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_/ 292 Ordered that Milo Gookins be allowed the sum of four dollars and fifty cents in full for his services as Comr. locating a certain State autherized by an act of the General Assembly approve Feb. 17t 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 293 Ordered that Allen Rogers be allowed the sum of two dollars for his services two days as Chainman on the above named State road out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 294 Ordered that Samuel Prather be allowed the sum of two

dollars for his services two to days as chainman on the above named State road out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 295 Ordered that Perrin Kent be allowed the sum of six dollars for his services as Surveyor makeing plat & report and other contingent expenses on the above named State road out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 296 Ordered that Creed H. Boswell for the use of Wm Bales be allowed the sum of thirty four dollars for Boarding and clotheing Sam McBride in full up to this day out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 297 Ordered that Doct. William Hall be allowed the sum of thirteen dollars and fifty cents for medcins & service rendered Lucinda Saltsgiver in full of his account up to date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 297 Ordered that Doct William Hall be allowed the sum of two dollars and fifty cents for his services & medecins rendered James McBride a pauper of Eugene Township in full up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 298 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for his extra service up to this term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Daniel Lacys Road.

The viewers appointe at the November session of said Board to review said road make the following report to wit "To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vermillion, in purseance of an order of this Honorable Board herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by said order to review the road therein mentioned, have reviewed the same, and return it as a road of Public Utility as follows to wit, being in Township No 18 N of range 10 west, beginning at and in the center of the County road leading from Perrysville to Georgetown 80 poles east of the south west corner of section 9, at the south east corner of William Lacys land thence running 7° W 160 poles between William Lacys land & S. Moris land 80 poles between Daniel Lacys & M. Coles, 80 poles on J.P. Lacys, to section line between section 9 & 4 thence north 6° 45. W. 160 poles between G.H. Minert and Burgett 135 poles between D. Dennis and A. Goff to the State road leading from Perrysville to Danville Ill. which is respectfully Submitted, Witness our hands and seals this 3d day of January 1838.

Samuel Ater

John Hines

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John Hoobler

Which report being publicly read and no objections being made to the said proposed road, it is therefore ordered that the report of the said reviewers be recorded and that said road be opened to the width of thirty three feet and that it be opened & henceforth kept in repair as a public Highway of which the Supervisors of highways through whose district said road may run will take notice.

Ordered that the following sums be allowed to the viewers on the Lacy road as follows Viz:

_/ 299	Samuel Ater	one day as viewer	$1.00
_/ 300	John Hines	" " "	1.00
_/ 301	John Hoobler	" " "	1.00

out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated

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Montezuma Ferry

John Hayden having this day presented a petition praying the establishment of a ferry across the Wabash river at a point opposite the Town of Montezuma in Parke County therein named and that he the said Hayden be invested with the right of keeping the same and the said application being resisted and argument of Counsel being heard on both

sides and the proffs in support thereof being fully heard and inspected, It is therefore considered by the board that said application be refused, and said ferry is not established as prayed for.

Ordered that Court adjourn untill tomorrow morning 9 O'clock A.M.

	E.B. James	)
Signed January 9th 1839	Chas Trowbridge	) Comrs.
	Thos Chenoweth	)

Wednesday Morning January 9th 1839

The Court met pursueant to adjournment.

Present as on Yesterday.

_/ 301 Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed the sum of two dollars for charges & Storage on record book brought from Dicksons Mills out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Perrin Kent be allowed the sum of ten dollars and fifty cents in full for his services as Comr appointed by the General Assembly by an act approved February 10th 1831, to locate a State road commenceing at Covington in Fountain County thence to the State line in a direction of Danville Illinois and that he be autherized _/ to call upon and receive from Joseph Shaw agent of the three per cent fund the above amount.

Ordered that James Thompson be appointed Trustee of

the Seminary fund for the year 1839, on his fileing Bond with approved Security as prescribed by law.

Ordered that John B. Yeager be licenced to vend foreign and domestic Groceries & Spiritous liquors in town of Perrysville in in said County for the term of one year from the first day of of this term on his paying in to the County T reasury the sum of one hundred dollars & fileing Bond as the law directs.

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Nuckles Road

Januray Term 1839 3d Day.

The undersigned viewers who were appointed at the September term of this Court to view and make a change in the road called "Nuckles Road" this day made the following report Viz.

"We the undersigned appointed by the last board of Commissioners to view mark and lay out the proposed alterations in the road leading from Newport south west commonly called "Nuckles Road" do report that we have viewed the proposed alteration and mark laged out as follows towit commenceing at the old road at the north west corner of Ben Sheppards meadow running thence west 60 rods, thence south 28 rods to intersect the old road, which alteration we believe to be for the public convenience makes the new road sixteen rods longer all which is respectfully

submitted.

D.A. Jones)
Newport Nov. 6 1838 Nathaniel Amos) Viewers

Where upon it is ordered that so much of the old road as lies between the points designated in said report be and the same is hereby vacated and that that part of said road embeaced in said report as being the change, is hereby established as a part of the road therein named.

Parish's Grove Road.

It is ordered that the several Supervisors under whose charge that part of said road running through this County may be shall open the same not exceeding forty feet in width and keep the same in repair.

Bales Road Changed.

This day the viewers appointed to view the change prayed for in said road made the following report Viz.

We the undersigned having viewed and measured the above described change in said road and report the ground whereon said road will run in case of such change to be as good as where it now runs and find the distance to be as follows, from place of beginning sixty seven rods west thence sixty nine rods north to intersect Bales Road the road as it now runs between said points is 95 rods.

Given under our hands this 5th January 1839.

J.A. White

James Harper

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John Skidmore

Whereupon it is ordered that so much of the old road as lies between the points designated in the said petition for a change be and the same is hereby vacated and so much thereof as is embraced

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within said change so reported to have been viewed be and the same is hereby established as a part of the road therein named.

_/ 303 Ordered that A.H. Woodruff be allowed the sum of three dollars & fifty cents for a blank book furnished the Clerk out any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

304 Void Ordered that Eli Truitt be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for a Sheriff box out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated. Recinded

Ordered that George C. Tingle be appointed assessor for the year 1839 upon his entering into bond with security to be approved of by the clerk in the penalty of three hundred dollars as required by law, and that said Tingle be allowed for said service the sum of three hundred dollars to be paid to him by the County Treasurer after his assessment Roll shall have been duly returned and approved by the

board and not before and said Tingle is to furnishe all the
_/ stationary for said service and to pay to the Clerk one half his allowance for making the Duplicate and is to prepare the assessment rooll and list of taxable lands.

Ordered that the following Sums be allowed to the Grand Jurors for one day at the September Term 1838, which was omitted to be handed in by the Bailiff at the November Term 1838 as follows to wit.

_/ 305	Cuthbert H. Spangler	One day	.75
_/ 306	James Bradburn	" "	75
_/ 307	Jesse Fox	" "	75
_/ 308	James Armour	" "	75
_/ 309	George Moyer	" "	75
_/ 310	James White	" "	75
_/ 311	Elijah Roseberry	" "	75
_/ 312	John Williams	" "	75
_/ 313	Samuel Ater	" "	75
_/ 314	George Bales	" "	75
_/ 315	Westley Southward	" "	75
_/ 316	Samuel Nolan	" "	75
_/ 317	Richard Haworth	" "	75
_/ 318	William Coslet	" "	75
_/ 319	Thomas Harris	" "	75
_/ 320	Thomas Kelsoe	" "	75

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_/ 321 Richard Dicken One day 75

Ordered that Court adjourn untill tomorrow morning 8 O'clock A.M..

Chas Trowbridge)
Signed January 10th 1839 E.B. James)Commissioners
Thos Chenoweth)

Thursday morning January 10th 1839

The Board met pursueant to adjournment

Present as on Yesterday.

Christopher Hannaman & John Statts over seers of the Poor of Helt Township makes report that they had farmed out Elizabeth Bush to Margaret Bush from the 30th day of November 1838 untill the first Monday of May 1839, for the sum of forty dollars. She the said Margaret is to furnish 2 Suits of cloths, suitable for the winter season.

_/ 321 Ordered that Elijah B. James Comr be allowed the sum of eight dollars for his services at the present term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 322 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge Comr be allowed the sum of eight dollars for his services at the present term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordere that Thomas Chenoweth Comr be allowed the sum

of eight dollars for his services at the present term divided into two orders as follows to wit.

_/ 323 One order for the sum of $7.12½

_/ 324 One do " " " " 87½

_/ 325 Ordered that Eli Newlin Jailor be allowed the sum of five dollars 31 cts for boarding Martha Zugg a prisioner in Jail in full up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Board make out a suitable number of Blank forms of Poll Books, and Election returns headed and an certified for each inspector of the several Townships, and handed to the Sheriff so as to allow him time to deliver the same to said inspectors ten days before the several anuel Elections.

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Ordered that Eli Newlin be and he is hereby autherized to dig a well on the Jail house lot to be completly walled with stone or contract with some other person to dig & wall said well who will do it for a reasonable price and the said Newlin is also auther ized to imploy some suitable person to make a wicket window in the debtors room in the County Jail for the purpose and convenience of feeding

Debtors and prisioners without opening the door of said Jail the said wicke & windows is to be mad of the same materials & dimention of the one in the criminal room and equally as safe and strong.

_/ 326 Ordered that Gooking & Barnes be allowed the sum of twenty dollars and thirty two cents for Goods & Groceries furnished by them to Sundry Paupers of Highland Gownship in full up to this date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 327 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of one dollar & eighty seven cents for amount paid James Thompson for five quires of rule paper out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjourn untill Court in Course.

E.B. James)
Signed January 10th 1839 Chas Trowbridge) Comrs.
Thos Chenoweth)

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Board of Commissioners

March Session 1839, 1st Day

At a Commissioners Court began and held at the Court House in Newport on Monday the 4th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

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Present Elijah B. James)
Thomas Chenoweth) Commissioners
Charles Trowbridge)

John Russell Road.

On this day a petition of John Russell and others was presented for the establishment of a County road in Helt Township, which said petition being publicly read it is ordered that Samuel Rush, John Skidmore & Samuel Riason be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view Survey mark and lay out the following proposed road to wit "Commenceing at the point where the line divideing the lands of Charles Trowbridge & Michael Ghormley crosses the State road lead-in from Montezuma to Paris, said point being on the center line running north and south through the north west quarter of section 34 town 16 north of rnage 9 west, thence in a south eastern direction to Michael Ghormleys mills on Little Raccoon, thence under the Bluffs to the Cabin lately occu-
pied by Jefferson Lynch, thence by the best route to the point, where the State road from Clinton to Newport, intersects the old boundry line between the lands of the Vincennes and Crawfordsville, districts, and thence as nearly as practicable on the said Boundry line, to the Big Rock on the Wabash," and make due return of their proceedings at the next term of this Court.

On this John Russell & others presented their petition

to vacate a certain road therein named formaly established on a petition of Levi Hollingsworth and others the same being publicly read was ordered to lie over until tomorrow.

_/ 328 Ordered Mrs. Tatman be allowed the sum of six dollars and seven cents for sustaining Henry Zuggs childred from the 27th of November 1838 to the 9th day of December 1838 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 329 Ordered that William Criveling be allowed the sum of fifteen dollars for sustaining George Pasley a pauper of Highland Township from the 18th day of December 1838 to the 1st day of February 1839 out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow Morning 9 oclock A.M.

Signed March 5th A.D. 1839 — Chas Trowbridge, Thos Chenoweth, E.B. James } Comrs.

Tuesday Morning March 5th 1839.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment

Present as on Yesterday.

Jackson Road.

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This day was presented to the Board a petition signed by E.H. Howard and others praying for the vacation of said road which was read a first time.

Levi Hollingsworth Road.

This day was read a second time the petition of John Russell and others praying that said road be vacated. It is therefore ordered that said application be continued until the next term.

330 Issued — Ordered that John Rabourn be allowed the sum of three dollars and seventy five cents for services rendered as Township Trustee for Township 19 No of range 10 west out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Francis B. Lyon be licenced to vend foreign & domestic Groceries & liquors by retail for twelve months from this day upon paying into the County Treasury the sum of one hundred dollars and giveing Bond as the law requires.

331 Issued — Ordered that Elijah B. James be allowed the sum four dollars in part for his services at the present term out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

332 Issued — Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth be allowed the sum four dollars in part for his services at the present term out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

333 Issued — Ordered that Charles Trowbridge be allowed the sum of four dollars in part for his services at the present term

out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 334 Ordered that James Thompson be allowed the sum of one dollar and seventy five cents for writing paper furnished the Clerks office on the 4th day of March 1839, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Burch Reed be allowed the sum of twenty six dollars & 12 cents for sustaining James Starrett a pauper of Eugene township for seventeen weeks at $1.50 cents per week & for makeing two shirts in full of his account up to this day divided in to two orders as follows

_/ 335 One order for $13.12½

_/ 336 One do " 13.00

_/ 337 Ordered that Samuel Groenendyke be allowed the sum of three dollars for Goods furnished Ezekiel Starrett a pauper of Eugene Township in full for his account to date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones be allowed the sum of Five dollars and seventy five cents for the following articles furnished for the use of the County to wit Decr 20, 1 Blank Book per Mr. Florer 1.25 Candler 25 January 31, 8

_/ 338 yds lintsey (50 $4.00 1½ muslin) 16½. 25 out of any money

in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Benjamin Shaws Road.

On petition of Sundry citizens of Vermillion Township for a change in the road leading from Eugene to Benjamin Shaws mills on the little Vermillion River, beginning at or near the half mile stake between sections no 7 & 18 running thence south and west so as to strike the line running north and south, through the center of section No 18 Township no 17, north of range no 9 west, thence south to the top of the Big hill thence on the nearest and best way to the foot of said hill and whereas at the November Session 1838, Joseph Wilkinson Alexander Arrowsmith & James D. Williams were appointed viewers, and haveing failed to make their report be it ordered that they are hereby again appointed viewers to survey mark and lay out said road, and make report of their proceedings and views at the next term of this Board.

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Ordered that James Thompson of Eugene Township in said County be and he is hereby appointed Treasurer of Vermillion County for one year from this date on his fileing his Bond security to be approved by the Board at the next Term thereof.

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Ordered that John Paine be and he is hereby autherized to vend foreign Merchandize and foreign and domestic Groceries for the term of one year from the first day of this term on his paying in to County Treasury the sum of Five dollars.

This day James Thompson County Treasurer makes report in the words and figuers following to wit.

"To the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County at their March Session A.D. 1839.

I herewith furnish you a statement of the maoeys received and disbursed by me as Treasurer since the November Session 1838 towit the, The amount charged on the duplicate for County taxes against the collector for the year 1838

		$4496.58
Amt of road Taxes on land of none residents as as charged against collector for 1838		28.46
Amt of revenue assessed and collected 1838		21.03
Amt collected of the delinquent list as returned to me by the collector for 1838		12.00
Allowed to collector November Term 1838		$4588.07
1st delinquencies	$207.04¾	
2d delinquencees March Session 1839	38.57½	
3d Collectors per cent on $4312,466 per ct	258.75	504.37
		$4053.70

Of the above sum of $4053.70 I have received

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In Treasury paper	3517.49½	4053.70
In Cash	536.20½	

I have further recieved since since Nov. Term 1838

From Vendors of foreign Merchandize	$19.09	
" " " " Groceries	168.76	
" " Jury Fees	9.00	196.85
		$4250.55

All of which is respectfully submitted

March 4th 1839 James Thompson

V.C.T.

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Be it remembered that this day James Thompson School Commrs makes & files his report which is ordered by the Board of Record which report is in the works and figuers following to wit, "To the Honl. Boar of Commissioners of Vermillion County in Session March Term A.D. 1839, I herewith furnish you with acccunt of money recieved, and loaned by me as School Comr since Sept Term 1838, to wit.

Township 17 R N 9 west

January the 2nd 1839 advance interest Recd of Stephen S. Collett on the residue of the Burch money, due on the following described tracts of land to-w it.

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The E.H. N E qr sec 16 T 17 R 9	$14.47
" N W 40 acres N E qr " " "	14.50
" S W 40 acres N.E. qr " " "	16.75
" N.E. 40 Acres S E qr " " "	12.60
" N.W. 40 acres S.E. qr " " "	12.60
" S.E. 40 acres S E Qr " " "	14.40
" S.W. 40 acres S.E. qr " " "	11.92
The S 50 acres off of the S side S.W. qr	8.15
do 2nd Recd of James Hopkins to wit	
On the N.E. 40 acres of the N.H. of the S.W. qr	2.96
" the N.W. 40 acres of the N H S.W. qr	8.82
" the N 30 acres off of the S side of the SHSW qr	4.90
January 6th advance Int. recd of George Cockran per amt loaned	6.00
Feby 13th recd of Ralp Wilson per amt loaned	1.00
" 14 advance Int recd of Ralph Wilson per amt loaned	18.00
" 6 received of John POrter to wit,	
on the N.E. 40 acres N.W. qr	8.11
" the S.E. 40 acres N.W. qr	12.60
" the S.W. 40 acres N.W. qr	10.80
" the N.W. 40 acres N.W. qr	7.20
January the 2nd 1839 recd of James Hopkins one hundred and two dollars being part of the residue of the purchase money due on the N.W. 40 acres of the	185 . 83

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N.H. S W qr Sec 16. T. 17 R 9) 102.00

Amt Loaned

January 6th 1839 amount loaned to George Cochran

payable 3 years from date 100.00

Township 16 N.R. low. north of the Boundry line

January 2nd 1839, advance Int recd of John Deer

per amt loaned 18.00

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2nd advance Int. recd of James Davis on the residue

of the purchase money on the following lots to wit

on lot No 9 sec 16 T 16 R 10 W. 18.00

" lot No 8 " " " " 13.24

" do No 7 " " " " 20.10

" do No 1 " " " " 18.37

" do No 13 " " " " 3.65

" do No 10 " " " " 12.99

" do No 14 " " " " 14.71

Recd of Charles S. Little on lot No 9 14.61

Do " " " " " No 15 16.84

do " " " " " No 16 15.80

Feby the 24 recd of John W. & Philemon Thomas

advance Int on lots No to wit

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on lot No 3	5.72
" " No 6	7.32
on lot No 11	5.47
do " No 12	
Feby 24 advance Int recd of Richard Haworth	6.50
per amount loaned	18.00
" do Wm Malone	$209.77
	6.00
	$215.77

January 26th 1839

Cash paid by order of Trustees $166.66

Township 19 R 10 W.

January 2nd 1839, Advance Interest recd of

G. Hendrich Minert per amt loaned 18.00

Sept 11th 1838. Recd of James Whitcomb two hundred and forty dollars being the residue of the purchase money due on lot no 1 in sec 16 T 14 R 9 W.

Amount of principle Money 240.00

January 29th 1839

Advance Int recd of John Pain per amt loaned 15.00

December 8th 1838 advance Int. recd of Reese & Pearson per amt loaned 13.56

October 13th 1838

Cash paid by order of Trustees $240.00

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Township 18 R 10 west September 19, 1839

Advance Int recd of James Smith per amt loaned	$6.00
Feby 7th 1839, advance Int recd of Jacob Hain on the residue of the purchase money due on lot no 4	21.64
" 7 recd of Abel Woolverton on lot No 3	5.06
" 13 recd of John M. Colmanon lot No 2	9.38
" " " " " " " " 5	22.76
" " " " " " " " 8	22.93
" 13 advance Int per amt loaned	18.00
" 14 recd of David Smith on lot No 7	22.55
" 14 " of John F. Smith advance Int per amt loaned	18.00
" 14 " of Wm Fultz on lot no 9 " " " "	16.22
" 14 advance Int recd of James H.W. Osmon per amt loaned	18.00
" 27 do " " " John G. Padget " " "	6.00
	$186.54

Retained for distribution by order of Trustees

1838. Township 14 R 10 W.

December 25th advance Interest received of Cuthbert H. Spangler on the residue of the purchase money

due on lot No 2 sec 16 T .H. R 10	8.10
" on lot No 3 " " " " "	3.11

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" on lot No 5 " " " " "	7.18
" on lot No 6 " " " " "	11.84
25 advance Int recd of C.H. Spangler pr amt loaned	9.12
January 29th 1839	
Recd of Christopher Hunter on lot No 1	7.13
" do of Wm Hoop on lot No 4	2.65
" do of Hugh Dyer on lot No 7	3.70
" do of John Hunter on lot No 8	4.95
" do of Spencer R. Hunter on lot no 9	1.92
" do of Wm Hoop on lot No 10	1.39
" do of John Hunter on lot No 11	2.18
" do of John Hunter on lot No 12	2.12
	$58.39

Retained for distribution

By order of Trustees

Township 15 R. 10 W.

Sept 17th 1838

advance Interest recd of James S. Carpenter on the residue of the purchase money, due on lot No 2 sec 16 T 15 R. 10 3.53

" 17 do on lot No 7 " " " " " 3.67

$ 7.20

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Township 18 R. 9 W.

January 28th 1839 Interest recd of Aaron F. Randolph
per amt loaned 9.00

Feby 18 advance Int recd of Eber Jany pr amt loaned 18.00

Amount Loaned

Feby 18th 1839 amt loaned Eber Jenney
payable 3 years from date $300.00

Township 17 R. 10 W.

Sept 18th 1838 Interest recd of Abel Woolverton
per amount loaned 5.60

" 22 " advance Int recd of Charles Trowbridge
per amt loaned 9.00

January 30th 1839 advance Interest Recd of Martin
Patrick on the residue of the purchase money due
on lot No 3 sec 16 T 17 R 10 18.07

" do on lot No 4 " " " " " 10.37

" do on lot No 9 " " " " " 12.90

" do on lot No 10" " " " " 14.01

Retained for distribution by an order of Trustees $70.45

Township 16 R 9 W.

February 7th 1839, received of Jerremiah Highfields
Thirty seven dollars fifty cents being the residue on

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Lot No 8 sec 16 T 16 R, 9 W " " "	$37.50

Township 19 Range 9

October 20th 1838

Advanced Interest rec of James W.H. Osmon on the residue of the purchase money due on the following described lots to wit.

On Lot No 14 Sec 16 T 19 R 9 W	4.50
on Lot No 10 " " " " " " "	2.28
On Lot No 11 " " " " " " "	12.24
On Lot No 12 " " " " " " "	5.94
Recd Oct. 20th 1838 of Jonas Metzger on, lot No 2	4.05
do " " on lot No 3	2.70
do " " on lot No 4	8.65
Recd Oct 20th 1838 of Thomas Wright on Lot No 1	5.40
Do " " " " " " on lot No 7	6.07
do " " " " " " c on lot No 9	18.90
do " " " " " " on lot No 5	9.66
do " " " " " " on lot No 6	2.25
Recd Oct 20th 1838 of Joseah Zeiger advance Int per amt loaned	9.00
	91.64

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Retained for distribution by order of Trustees.

All which is respectfully submitted.

James Thompson

School Comr. V C

Common School Funds

September 20th 1838

To amount Recd of Wm H.H. Scott agent of the State of Indiana for loaning the Surplus Revenue $200.00

Nov. 17th do Wm H.H. Scott " " " " 161.13

Nov 17th advance interest recd of Wm Coffin pr amt loaned 18.00

Nov. 17 advance Int recd of Josephus Collett pr amt loaned 9.66

January 19th 1839, advance Interest recd of Wm Dox Pr amt loaned 12.00

$400.79

Amount loaned & to whom

Nov 7th 1838, amount loaned William Coffin payable 1 year from date $300.00

Nov 17th amt loaned Josephus Collett payable one year from from date. 170.66

January 19th 1839 amt loaned Wm Dox, payable 3 years from date 200.00

All which is respectfully submitted.

James Thompson School Comr V.C.

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Jackson Road

This day was read a second time the petition praying for the vacation of said road. It is therefore ordered that the further action upon said petition be continued until the next session of this board.

339 Issd Ordered that Dr. W.H.H. Scott be allowed the sum of nine dollars for medical attention & medecines furnished to Mrs Saltskevn a pauper of Eugene Township out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that Ashley Harris be licenced to vend foreign merchandize for one year upon his payinginto the County Treasury the sum of five dollars from the 1st Monday of March 1839.

_/ Ordered that Ira McGinnis be licenced to vend foreign merchandize for one year from the 1st Monday of March 1839 upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

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Issued L April 1839 Ordered that Collett & Adams be licenced to vend foreign Merchandize for one year from 1st Monday of March Inst- upon their paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

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Ordered that the Board adjourn untill tomorrow morg nine oclock.

E.B. James)
Thos Chenoweth) Comrs.
Chas Trowbridge)

Wesnesday Morning March 6 1839.

Board met pursuant to adjnmt

Present as on Yesterday.

Jesse Hollingsworth & others) On petition to the
VS) Clerk praying for
District Trustees No 2 T 16 N of R 10 west) process act depts to produce books & on this day the Clerk exhibited the petition of Jesse Hollingsworth Gabl McCool John McCool Isaac McCool John Fordick Thomas Jones Samuel Shannon and Joseph Jones in the following words Viz "State of Indiana, Vermillion County, we the undersigned Freeholders and householders in district No 2 in Congressional Township No 16 north of range No 10 west do hereby pray and petition that you should issue a process, calling upon the district Trustees of said district No 2 and Township No 16 N of range 10 west to submit their books papers and accounts to the inspection of the Board doing County business for said County on the first Monday in March next " And it appearing to the Court that the process of summons issued by the Clerk upon such application has been returned served by

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the Sheriff upon William Henderson Dillon Haworth and John Moore the acting trustees of said School District No 2 in T 16 N R 10 W three days prior to this session of the Booard and thereupon come the said petitioners and also the said Trust ees, and the said Trustees thereupon submitted to the inspection of the board the record of the proceedings of said district Trustees . Signed by William Henderson their Clerk, and it having been made known to the Board that a meeting of the qualified voters of said School District was held on the 20 day of October 1838 and certain proceedings had at such meeting of which no record appears upon the said record of proceedings submitted by said Trustees; Therefore it is ordered by the Board that the said [illegible]

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William Henderson submit to this Board at their next [illegible] session a full and complete record of the proceedings had and of the votes taken at such meeting of the voters of said district on the said 20th of October, and it further appearing to the Board that the act of the said Voters of said district, at a meeting held on the 12th day of

January 1839. Whereby William Hollingsworth, one of the Trustees was removed from office and John Moore elected Trustee, was illegal in as much as a Majority of the voters of such district did not vote for the removal of said Wm Hollingsworth. Therefore it is ordered that said act of the Voters, at the meeting of the 12th of January 1839 removing said William Hollingsworth be and the same is hereby recinded and declared null and void.

340 Issd Ordered that Stephen B. Gardner be allowed the sum of Ten dollars & thirty five cents for desk & chair for recorders office and for recording George W. Cooks Indenture out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 341 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for his extra services up to date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 342 Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for his extra services out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated in full up to this day.

_/ Ordered that Isaac Brink be allowed the sum of two dollars for one County Seal composed of three letters to-wit V.C.S. out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Hughs Road, a Change in

On petition of Henry Treese, Thomas Moore & Joseph Moore for a change in so much of the County road as is

now located but not opened, commenceing at the State road leading from Eugene to Brydens cross roads, on the line dividing sections 6 & 7 in T. 18 R 9 W and southwest to the Coal Branch, so that said proposed change may leave its present location at or near the center of the west line of lot No 11. of the subdivision of section 16 T 18 R 10 west thence due east to the south west corner of ~~section~~ the northwest quarter of section 7 T 18 R 9 W thence east to the State road before mentioned between the lands owned by Henry Treese and Thomas Moore, ordered that Benjamin Wittenmyer, James Thompson, and

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John Goobler be and they are hereby appointed viewers to survey view marke and lay out said proposed change and make report of their proceedings and opinons at the next term of this Court.

Winset John Sr Cartway

On petition of John Winset Sr and others for a cartway commenceing at the south west corner of Lutes land thence east throug the center of sections Nos 11 & 12 to the Wabash River, in Township No 16, north of range No 9 west in Vermillion County Indiana, ordered that Henry F.

Jackson, David Hudson & Benjamin Burson be and they are appointed viewers to survey view marke and lay out said cartway, and make report of their views and proceedings at the next Session of this Board on the first Monday in May next.

#/ Gookins State Road a Change in

On petition of Milo Gookins and others praying for a change in a certain State road therein named recently located but not opened commenceing in the south W qr of sec 5 Town 18 N R 9 W thence crossing of Jordens Creek by Allen Rogers and Isaac Chenoweths and to the State road leading from the army Ford to Perrysville so that said road shall leave its present location at or near a point eighty rods south of the N.E. corner of the W ½ of the N E quarter of sec 33 T 19 N.R. 9 west to a point, paralel with the west end of Washington Street in the town of Perrysville, thence east with said Street to Clay Street thence north with said Street to Green Street thence east with said street to the said State road leading leading from the Army Foard to Perrysville. Ordered that Asaph Hill, George Hicks & David Smith be and they are hereby appoint ed viewers, to survey, view marke & lay out said proposed change and make report of their proceeding at the next Session on the first Monday in May next.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning

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9 Oclock A.M.

Signed March 7th 1839 — Chas Trowbridge, Elijah B. James, Thos Chenoweth } Comrs.

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Thursday Morning March 7th 1839

Board met pursuant to adjournment

Present as on Yesterday.

Sarah Hays Ferry

And now on this day comes Sarah Hars and applies to the Board of Commissioners for the establishment of a Public Ferry across the Wabash River opposit Montezuma upon the south fraction of the s uthwest quarter of section twenty six Township No. Sixteen north of range No nine west in the County of Vermillion to the opposite Bank of said River and it appearing to the satisfaction of said Board that the said Sarah Hays is the owner of the above mentioned tract of land and it appearing by satisfactory proof made to the Board that written notices of this application has been set up in three of the most public places in Helt Township in this County, (in which Township the said tract of land i situated upon which said Ferry

is praied to be established) at least thirty days prior to the first day of the present Session of this Board, and the said Board deeming it necessary for the public convenience that such Ferry should be established, it is therefore ordered by the Board that the said Sarah Hays be and she is hereby licenced to keep a public Ferry across the Wabash River at Montezuma upon the south fraction of the southwest quarter of section twenty six in Township sixteen north of range nine west, to the opposite side of said river and until the further order of the Board. It is ordered that the said Sarah Hays do keep at the said Ferry one good Flat Boot sufficient to carry a waggon and six horses, and at least two good hands to attend the same one of whom shall be a hand completely skilled in Ferrying also one Good & Sufficeint skift sufficient to carry ten men both of which shall be kept at all times in good repair, and the rates of Ferriage at said Ferry are herebyestablished as follows to wit; For each foot passenger 6¼, for each man and horse 12½ cts For each horse and carrige its driver & ladeing 25 cts, for each carriage 2 horses driver & ladeing 37½ cts, For each carriage driver three horses & ladeing 43¾ cts For each carriage & 4 horses driver & ladeing 50 cts & 6¼ cents for each additional beast drawing any carriage and the same rates are allowed for all carriages & waggons drawn

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by work cattle, For every horse mare mule or ass in a drove 6¼, For each head of neat cattle 3 cents, for each head of Sheep swine, or goats 2 cents, and the above Boat shall be compleetly furnished with racks or Banisters for the safe conveyance of Stock of every kind, and the said Sarah Hays

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shall give gBond in the sum of five hundred dollars with freehold security resident of the County of Vermillion conditioned according to the Statute in such case made and provided regulating ferrys, to be approved by the Board doing County business which Bond shall be executed and filed in the Clerks office on or berore the first Monday in May next.

Ordered that all the Ferrys Rates in Vermillion County be Taxed as follows to wit

The Ferry at Clinton	$6.00
The Ferry at Montezuma	4.00
Mary Craigs Ferry	3.00
Mary Filson widow of Thomas Filson & heirs Ferry	2.50
Perrysville Ferry	5.00

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Ordered that all the rates of Taxes fix on Ferrys in this County previous to the present term session of this Board be and the same is hereby recinded.

Ordered that the following rates shall be allowed to all owners & proprietors of established Ferries in Vermillion County for their compensation and fees as follows to wit:

For each foot Passenger 6¼ cents, For each man & horse 12½ cts For each horse carriage driver and ladeing 25 cents for each carriage two horses driver & ladeing 37½ For each Carriage two horses driver & ladeing 37½

For	"	"	three horses	"	"	" 43 3/4
"	"	"	four horses	"	"	" 50
"	"	additional Beast drawing a carriage 6¼				

The above rates are allowed for all carriages and waggons that may be drawn by work cattle.

For Every horse mule or ass in a drove	6¼	cents
" each head of meat cattle	3	-
" " " " Sheep Goat or hog &c	2	-

Ordered that all orders heretofore made by the Board fixing the fees allowed to ferry keepers for their services be and the same is hereby recinded.

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_/ 344 Ordered that Eli Newlin Jailor be allowed the sum of seventeen dollars and fifty cents in full for his fees for dieting Martha Zugg a prisioner to the 6th day of March Inst out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appro-
_/ 345 priated.

Ordered that Nathaniel W. Davis be allowed the sum of twenty eight dollars and seventy five cents in full of his wood bill to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that the order heretofore made granting Eli Truitt for one Bax furnished Bales which was not accepted by said Truitt, also an order granting Isaac Brink for makeing a County seal $2.00 which order was not received by said Brink. It is therefore ordered that said orders be and they are hereby recinded.

Malone State Road a change in

On petition of Sarah Hays for a change in a certain State Road therein named leading from the ferry at Montezuma to Highland in Vermillion County now runs upon the
_/ south fraction of the southwest quarter of section twenty
six Township 16 N of R 9 W said proposed change in said road are as follows towit to leave the presant road at the point where said road leaves the Wabash River, thence north about 20 rods, thence west from 60 to 80 rods to intersect the old road again It is therefore ordered that, David Shoemaker,

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Benjamin Saxton & Jonathan Peters be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view survey marke and lay out said proposed change, and make report of their views and proceedings at the next session of this Board on the first Monday in May next.

_/ 346 Ordered that Elijah B. James Comr be allowed the sum of four dollars ballance in full of his fees up to date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated

_/ 347 Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth Comr be allowed the sum of four dollars ballance in full of his fees to date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 348 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge be allowed the sum of four dollars Ballance for his services in full to date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Court in Course.

Signed March 7th 1839 — Chas. Trowbridge, Thos Chenoweth, Elijah B. James) Comrs

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May Term

1st day of Commissioners Court

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At a Commissioners Court began and held at the Court House in Newport in the County of Vermillion in the State of Indiana on the first Monday of May to wit the sixth day of May in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

	Elijah B. James	)
		)
Present	Thomas Chenoweth	) Comrs
		)
	Charles Trowbridge	)

_/ Ordered that E & O Brown be and they are hereby licenced to vend foreigh Merchandize & foreign and domestic Groceries in the County of Vermillion for one year from the 6th day of May 1839 upon their paying into the County Treasury the surm of five dollars.

_/ Ordered that McCulloch & Conkey be and they are hereby licenced to vend foreign Merchandize and foreign and domestic Groceries in the County of Vermillion from the date hereof, upon their paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

_/ Ordered that Jones & Smith be and they are hereby licenced to vend foreign Merchandize and foreign and domestic Groceries for one year from this date upon their paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

_/ Ordered that Dockins & Barnes be and they are hereby licenced to vend foreign Merchandize and foreign & domestic Groceries in the County of Vermillion for one year from

this date upon their paying into the County Treasurery the sum of five dollars.

_/ 349 Ordered that Burch Reed be and he is hereby allowed the sum of thirteen dollars in full for keeping and sustaining Ezekiel Starett up to the first day of May 1839, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated

_/ 350 Ordered that Dianna Patton be allowed the sum of sixty three dollars & sixty nine cents for keeping & sustaining & sundries furnished Miss Carman in full of her account up to its date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The above order of D. Patton was issued George L. Mitchel.

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_/ 351 Ordered that John Fultz over seer of the poor of Highland be allowed the sum of twelve dollars in full for his services as such overseer of said township up to this day out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 352 Ordered that John Fultz be allowed the sum of five dollars for keeping Martha Tuggs children also the sum of twenty four dollars & 12½ cents for sundries furnished

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Boarding makeing lodgeing &c for Martha Zuggs child in
_/ 353 full of his account up to this day out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 354 Ordered that John Fultz be allowed the sum of one dollar for the rent of a room paid by him to hold the April Election in out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 355 Ordered that George W. Palmer be allowed the sum of nine dollars for keeping & sustaining sundries medicens &c furnished Martha Zugg Jr in full of his account to date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 356 Ordered that Milo Gooking be allowed the sum of twelve dollars in full for his services as overseer of Highland Township.

_/ 357 Also the sum of two dollars for keeping George Pasly 4 days at his own house, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Gooking and Barnes be allowed the sum of twenty six dollars and ninety seven cents for sundries furnished sundry paupers of Highland Township in full of their account up to this date, divided in to two orders as
_/ 358 follows to wit one order for five dollars and twenty five
_/ 359 cents ($-25) & one order for twenty one dollars & seventy two cents 21.72.

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_/ 360 Ordered that David Hudson be allowed the sum of three dollars in full for his services as supervisor for the past year out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 361 Ordered that Isaac Kaufman be aklowed the sum of three dollars and seventy five cents in full for his services as supervisor for the past year out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 362 Ordered that Thomas Combs be allowed the sum of six dollars for his services as super visor for the past year out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated

_/ 363 Ordered that Jacob Eles be allowed the sum of one dollar & fifty cents in full for his services as supervisor for the past year out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 Oclock A.M.

Signed May 7th 1839 — Thomas Chenoweth, Chas Trowbridge, E.B. James — Commissioners

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Tuesday May 7th 1839

Court met pursueant to adjournment

Present as on Yesterday.

_/ 364 Ordered that John Tate Supervisor of road district No 10 in Vermillion Township be allowed the sum of nine dollars in full for his servises for the past year out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 365 Ordered that Jacob Iles be allowed the sum of two dollars in full for his services as overseer of the poor of Eugene Township in full up to the present term out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 366 Ordered that Lewis Holtz supervisor for road district No 2 in Eugene Township be allowed the sum of nine dollars and seventy five cents in full for his services to this date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 367 Ordered that Samuel Prather Supervisor of road district No 5 in Highland Township for the year 1838 be allowed the sum of eighteen dollars in full for his services to this date out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 368 Ordered that Isaac Hollingsworth Supervisor of road district No 4 of Vermillion township for the year 1838, be allowed the sum of five dollars and fifty cents in full

for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 369 Ordered that David Shoemaker supervisor of road district No 8 in Helt Township for the year 1838 be allowed the sum of five dollars in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 370 Ordered that Aaron Abbott supervisor of road district 2 in Highland Township for the year 1838 be allowed the sum of five dollars and twenty five cents in full for his services to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 371 Ordered that Joseph Eagleston supervisor of road district No 9 in Vermillion Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of six dollars and sixty two cents in full for his services out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 372 Ordered that Bevin R. Burns Supervisor of road district No 8 in Vermillion Township for 1838, be allowed the sum of six dollars in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appro-

priated.

_/ 373 Ordered that Jacob Sears overseer of the poor of Vermillion Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of six dollars and fifty cents in full for his services up to this day out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 374 Ordered that Josiah Martin Supervisor of road district 11 in Vermillion Township for 1838, be allowed the sum of four dollars and fifty cents in full for his services out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 375 Ordered that Thomas Kelsoe Supervisor of road district in Vermillion Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of three dollars and seventy five cents in full for his services out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 376 Ordered that Comfort & Vansant be allowed the sum of five dollars & eighty two cents for goods got by John Craft overseer of the poor for Ezekiel Staritt & Lucinda Saltsgiver out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 377 Ordered that Ruben Utter Supervisor of Road district No 9 in Helt Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of two

dollars and twenty five cents in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 378 Ordered that James M. Peyton Supervisor of road district No 3 in Helt Township for the year 1838, be allowed the sum of four dollars and thirty eight cents in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 379 Ordered that George Stultz Supervisor in Clinton Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of five dollars and twenty five cents for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 380 Ordered that George Dehart be allowed the sum of thirty six dollars and seventy five cents for sustaining John Watson a pauper of Highland Township from the 3d of September 1838 to the 6th day of May 1839, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 381 Ordered that Samuel Groenendyke Merchant be allowed the sum of eight dollars and eighty seven cents for stationaries furnished the County on the 6th of April 1839, out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Margaret Bush now Margarett Owens be allowed the sum of forty dollars for sustaining Elizabeth Bush a pauper of Helt Township from the 30th November 1838 to 6th of May 1839 to be divided in to eight orders as

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follows to wit.

_/ 382	One order for		$5.00
_/ 383	2nd do	"	5.00
_/ 384	3d do	"	5.00
_/ 385	4th do	"	5.00
_/ 386	5th do	"	5.00
_/ 387	6th do	"	5.00
_/ 388	7th Do	"	5.00
	8th do	"	5.00
	Total Amt in figuers		$ 40.00

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_/ 389 Ordered that Nathaniel Owens Supervisor of road district No 1 in Helt Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of six dollars in full for his services out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 390 Ordered that Joseph Winset Jr Supervisor of road district No 1, in Vermillion Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Void Ordered that Lewis ~~Jones~~ Supervisor of road district in Eugene Township for 1838, ~~in~~ full for his services out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 391 Ordered that Lewis Jones Supervisor of road district No 5 in Eugene Township for 1838, be allowed the sum of six dollars in full for his services out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 392 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of twenty five cents for postage paid on communication to the County of Vermillion out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 394 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for part of his extra services in full up to this term out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 395 Ordered that Jueius Bogard Supervisor in road district No 10 in Helt Township for 1838 be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Levi Hollingsworth road a change in.

This day the petition of John Russell and others for a vqcation of a part of said road herein after mentioned which said petition was read twist at the March term of this court & continued as follows to wit, (commenceing at Gilberts mills passing Michael Ghormleys mills thence by the way of Levi Hollingsworths mills, and endingat the Bluff north of said Hollingsworths mill, where the County

road from Montezuma to the State line passes said bluff,) that so much of said County road as lays between the State

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road leading from Montezuma to Paris, and the State road leding from Clinton to Newport is extreemly inconvenient, & difficult to keepin repair, and is in a great measure useless and burthersome to the district it is therefore considered by the Court that so much of said road as is prayed for in said petion to be vacated be and the same is hereby vacated to all intents and purposed.

John Russell Road (of Helt)

Whereas at the March Term of this Court John Skidmore Samuel Rush & Samuel Risson were appointed by the Board and required to "make due return of their proceedings at the next term of this Court," and haveing failed to make said return for want of a surveyor be and they are hereby again appointed viewers to discharge the duties in said order mentioned and make report of their proceedings at the next term of this Court in September.

Jackson Road a Change in

This day the petition of E.H. Howard and others for

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the vacation of a part of said road herein after mentioned which said petition was this day publicly read, the same haveing been twist read at the March term of this Court and continued untill the present term of this Court, as follows to wit; a part of the road as located from opposite the mouth of Big Rackoon Parke County running west to its intermedient points so as to intersect the State road leading from Montezuma to Paris Illinois at the southwest corner of section No 6 Township No 15 range No 9 west, that so much of said "road as lays between the aforesaid southwest and south east corner of said section, will not be of any public utility and nothing but a burthern upon the inhabitants to open and keep up the same we therefore your humble petitioners pray that your honorable Body would take the same in consideration and vacate the aforesaid portion of said road; It is therefore considered by the Board that so much of the above road in said petition as is prayed to be vacated be and the same is hereby declared to be vacated.

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Whereas at the March term of this Court Benjamin Saxton David Shoemaker and Jonathan Peters were appointed by the

Board to discharge the duties in said order mentioned and required to make report at the present term of this Court of their views and proceedings, and haveing failed so to do for the want of a surveyor be and they are hereby again appointed to discharge the duties aforesaid and make report at the next term of this court.

This day the report of John Russell Esquire one of the agents of the three per cent fund is examined by the Board is approved and ordered to be spread upon record and is in the words & figures following to wit; To the Honl Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County Ia. the following report is respectfully submitted, John Russell agent of the three per cent fund for highland Township to the State of Indiana Dr.

To an appropriation made by the Board of Commissioners of said County at their May session in 1837	$350.00
To be expended as follows to wit	
On the State road leading from Perrysville to Danville betwen Perrysville and the State line	100.00
On the State road leading north from Perrysville between Perrysville and the line between Vermillion and Warren Counties	250.00

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By order from the Board of Commissioners at their at their September Session 1837, to David

Spry for that part of the appropriation for the road leading from Perrysville to Danville.	$100.00
Paid James Welch for Grubbing	12.00
" Thomas Wright & for building a bridge across ravine	20.00
" Jacob Bowbrake for getting out Bridgetimber	16.65
" David Henderson for 5 days work) 75 cts	3.75
" William Barnard " 3 " " " "	2.25
" Daniel Smith " 4 " " " "	3.00
" Benjamin Mayo " 3 " " " "	2.25
" David Metzger " 2 " " " "	1.50
" E.G. Palmer for building a bridge across Spring Creek	67.19
" Thomas Wright on order from the board of Comrs.	10.00
" John Porter for surveying road	2.00
" cash on hand	98.41
	350.00

I do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true report given under my hand this 6th day of May 1839.

John Russell Agt.

3 per cent F.H.T.V. Ia

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Hughs Road a Change in

James Thompson, Benjamin Wittenmyer John Hoobler, having been appointed at the March session 1839 to view a change in said road in the order mentioned make the following report to wit.

"To the Honable Board of Commissioners of the County of Vermillion in pursueance of this Honorable Board herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by said order to view survey marke and lay out the change in the road therein mentioned, after being duly sworn according to law, before George Palmer a Justice of the Peace in Highland Township have viewed Surveyed, marded and laid out the same towit; Beginning 10 chains north of the south west corner on the west line of lot No 11 of the subdivision of Sec No 16 north of range No ten west, thence east 42 chains and 50 links to the south west corner of the northwest qr of section No 7 Township No 18, north of range No 9 west, thence east 77 chs, with the line running through the center of section No 7, Township No 18, north of range No 9 west, intersecting the state road leading from Eugene to Brydens cross roads (a plat of which is hereunto annexed,) and further the said change will in our opinion be of public utility;

Witness our hands this 24th day of April

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A.D. 1839, which is respectfully submitted.

Benjn Wittenmyer)
James Thompson) Viewers
John Goobler)

Beginning ten chains north of the southwest corner on the west line of lot No 11 of the subdivision of section No 16 Township No 18 range No 10 west and running from thence as follows;

Courses, Chains, Links

1	- 42	- 50	to the south west corner of the north-
~~2 east~~	77		west quarter of section No 7 Township
2 east	77	- 50	No 18 range No 9 west as called for
			in order with the line running through
			the center of section No 7 Township No

18 range No 9 west to the road leading from Eugene to Brydens cross roads, I hereby certify that the above field notes are a true copy given under my hand this 24th day of April A.D. 1839.

George H. McNeel

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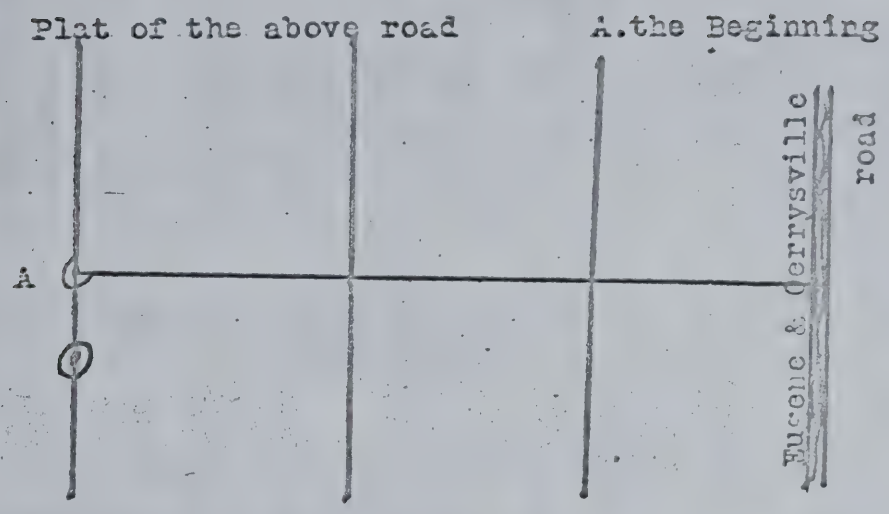
Plat of the above road



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Clerk fees paid $4.96

And it being satesfactory proven to the Board that said new road is opened better than part of the old road prayed for to be changed It is therefore ordered that the same be be established, of which the Supervisor of Highways throug whose districts said road passes will take notice and it is further ordered that, that part of the old road prayed for to be chang , be and the same is hereby declared to be vacated.

Ordered that Loyed & Benjamin Edmunds be licenced to vend foreign and domestic Groceries & retail Spiritous liquors in the town of Eugene in this County for the term of one year from the first day of this term upon their giveing Bond as required by law and paying into the County

Treasurery the sum of one hundred dollars.

Ordered that the sum of fifty dollars be the rate of tax on tavern license in the County of Vermillion for one year from the first day of the present term.

On this day John Radburn the Treasurer for congressional Township No 19 R 10 W, makes the following report towit. I John Rabourn Treasurer of Congressional Township No 19 R 10 W, in the County of Vermillion do hereby report to the Board of County Commissioners that I have recd from the school Comr of said County dureing the past year the sum of $242.89

And I further certify that I have paid the said sum of 242.39

out according to law, in testimony whereof I havehere unto set my this 6th day of May 1839.

John Rabourn

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 oclock A.M.

Thos. Chenoweth)
E.B. James) Comrs
Chas Trowbridge)

Signed May 8th 1839

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_/ 396 Ordered that Daniel A. Jones merchant be allowed the sum of thirteen dollars and twelve & a half cents in full of this account up to the eleventh of April 1839 for sundries furnsihed the Circuit Court out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Cuthbert H. Spangler Comr makes the following report towit;

"C.H. Spangler Comr & C To Vermillion County dr

To cash recd of John W. Rush agent for Brewitts Creek Bridge	$40.00
" cash recd of Jas Tjompson being the road fund due to Clinton Township	70.00
	$110.39

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By cash paid John Hunter for repairing Bruitts Creek Bridge as per his recpt.	$40.00
By cash paid Josiah M. Hedges for cross waying the state road leading from Clinton West and for dirting the same as per Receipt.	60.00
By amt retained for my services	10.39
	$110.39

May 1st 1839 C.H. Spangler Comr.

_/ Ordered that Joshua Merrick be licenced as a tavern keeper and retailer of spiritous liquors in the town of Eugene for one year from the first day of this term upon his complying with the law regulating taverns; and paying

in to the County Treasurery the sum of fifty dollars.

_/ 397 Ordered that Eli Newlin be allowed the sum of sixty eight dollars and sixty two cents in full for Jailors fees and sundries furnsihed Martha Zugg and Benjamin A. Hunter in jail out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Elias N. Reynolds of Highland Township makes the following report which was examined by the Board and ordered on record as follows to wit,"

Elias N. Reynolds Treasurer of Township No 19 in range No 9 in the County of Vermillion and Fountaine do hereby represent to the Board of County Commissioners, that I have under my care belonging to said Township on to district No 6 when called for agreeable to agreeable to law (a note in Z & H Gouty drawn for $28.50/100 due Jan 1st 1840, said Township expended the last year for tution of building

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of school houses two hundred and thirty five dollars there is in the hands of the School Commissioners of said Counties belonging to said Township the sum of nineteen hundred and eighty two dollars from the sales of section 16,

and from other sources.

Said township has recieved from the Commissioner dureing the year past of Interest the sum of two hundred and sixty three dollars 26/100.

Given under my hand this 4th day of May 1839.

Elias N. Reynolds

Township Treasurer.

This day the Board of Commissioners examined the Bond of James Thompson County Treasurer order that the same be approved & attested by our Clerk.

This day the Bonds of the following Constables of Vermillion County was examined by the Board approved ordered on file and attested by the Clerk to wit Abraham White and Isaac Vanduyn Constables of Helt Township, George Lawson & Jacob Miller of Highland Township, Samuel Malone of Eugene Township, Eli Newlin, Allen Stroud & James Dicken Constables of Vermillion Township, James Seeds & John Faught Constables of Clinton Township.

The Bond Given by John Davidson Constable of Clinton Township the securities is not deemed sufficient therefore the Bond is not approved it is ordered that said John Davidson file a new or an additional Bond on or before the first day of the next term of this court.

Ordered that, James Davidson, be appointed Supervisor of Road district No 9 in Vermillion township to serve as

such until the next anual April Election.

Ordered that Jacob Jackson be appointed Supervisor of road district No 9 in Helt Township to serve as such until the next anuel April Election.

Ordered that Heram Shaw be appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 in Highland Township, to serve as such until the next anuel April Election.

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Jacob Iles Road.

On petition of Jacob Iles and others for a County road in Eugene township Commenceing at the slip Bank on the Big Vermillion River, Where a state road terminates thence east with a county road 75 poles, thence east in a direction to intersect a new road called "Parkes road" 15 rods east of the ½ mile stake of section 19 T 18 N.R. 9 W thence east 55 poles thence east to intersect the road leading from Eugene at or near Samuel Dau[illegible]ys house, ordered, Thomas Wright, John Russell, Horatio Talbott be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view survey marke and lay out said and make report of their views and proceedings at the next term of this court.

Daniel Mossburger Road.

On petition of Daniel Mossburger & others for a

County road in Highland Township, commenceing at the State road leading from Perrysville to Danville, on the line idvideing the lands owned by David Spry and James Mathews in section 32 town 19 range 10 west thence running north _/ by the land of Daniel Mossburger, thence in the same direction until it intersects aCounty road running from Joseph Howards to Danville at or near the north west corner of the west ½ of the southest quarter of sec. 20 in Town 19 N range 10 west. Ordered that Dorman Cade, Samuel Ater McKendrie Mick be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view survey marke and lay out said road and make report of their views and proceedings at the next term of the Court.

_/ 398 Ordered that Jacob Hewitt be allowed the sum of four dollars and fifty cents for sustaining 2 paupers children of Henry Zugg from December 9th 1838, to April 22d 1839, 19 weeks ($38.00 for keeping one child 2 weeks at same rate 2.00 to makeing for said children 16 prs clothing C 25 4.00 to pr shoes 50 -- (total $44.50 out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 399 Ordered that William J. Weaver Doct be allowed the sum of fifteen dollars for his medical attendance on Martha Zugg a prisioner in the jail of said County out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Issued to Thompson

_/ 400 Ordered that Isaac Pearson Esquire attorney at law who was assigned by the Court as Councellor for Martha

Zugg on her trial for murder and was allowed twenty dollars by the court payable out of the County funds be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twenty dollars aforesaid out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 401 Ordered that William P. Bryant Esqr attorney at law who was appointed by the Court at the term of March 1839 as Council for the defendant Martha Zugg on her truak for murier and allowed the sum of twenty dollars by the to be paid out of the County funds for said services be and he is hereby allowed the said sum of twenty dollars to be paid out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropri-- ated

The over seers of the Poor of Helt Township Vermillion County Indiana, Certify that on the sixth day of May 1839 they have farmed out the pauper of said township Adam Smith to Abram White Jr for the sum of fifty eight dollars & 99 cents and Elizabeth Bush to Susannah Smith for the sum of seventy five dollar.

In testimony whereof we have here unto set our hands this 6th day of May in the year above written.

John H. Stacts)Overseers
) of
Christopher Hannaman) the Poor

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_/ 402 Ordered that David W. Clover be alloed the s um of two dollars and thirty seven cents for candles, wafers quills & ink furnished the County out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that David W. Clover be and he is hereby licenced to vend foreign Merchandize and foreign and domestic groceries in the County of Vermillion from the date hereof until the seventh day of May next, 1840 on his paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars

_/ 403 Ordered that Christopeher Hannaman overseer of the Poor of Helt Township be allowed the sum of five dollars in full for his services as overseer of the poor up to the first day of this session out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 404 Ordered that Joel Blakesley be allowed the sum of thirty seven dollars for sustaining Adam Smith a pauper of Helt Township divided in to two orders as follows to to wit;

one order for $18.00

_/ 405 " " " 19.00

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Benjamin Shaws Road

Thereas at the March session of this Court Joseph Wilkinson, Alexander Arrowsmith & James D. Williams was appointed viewers on the following road to wit a change in the road leading from Eugene to Benjamin Shaws mills on the Little Vermillion River "Beginning at the half mile stake, between sections No 7 & 18, running running thence south and west so as to strike the line running north and south through the center of section No 18 township No 17 north of range 9 west, thence south to the top of the Big hill, thence on the nearest and best way to the foot of said hill, make the following report to wit, "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the County of Vermillion in pursuance of an order of this honorable Board herewith returned we the undersigned appointed by said order to view survey makr and lay out the change in the road therein mentioned we have viewed surveyed marked and laid out the same according to said order a plat of which is here unto annexed witness our hands this 27th day of April A.D. 1839 which is respectfully submitted Alexander Arrowsmith & Joseph Wilkinson Beginning one chaine and twenty five links south of the half mile stake between sections No 7 & 18, township No 17 north of range No 9 west and running from thence as follows to wit.

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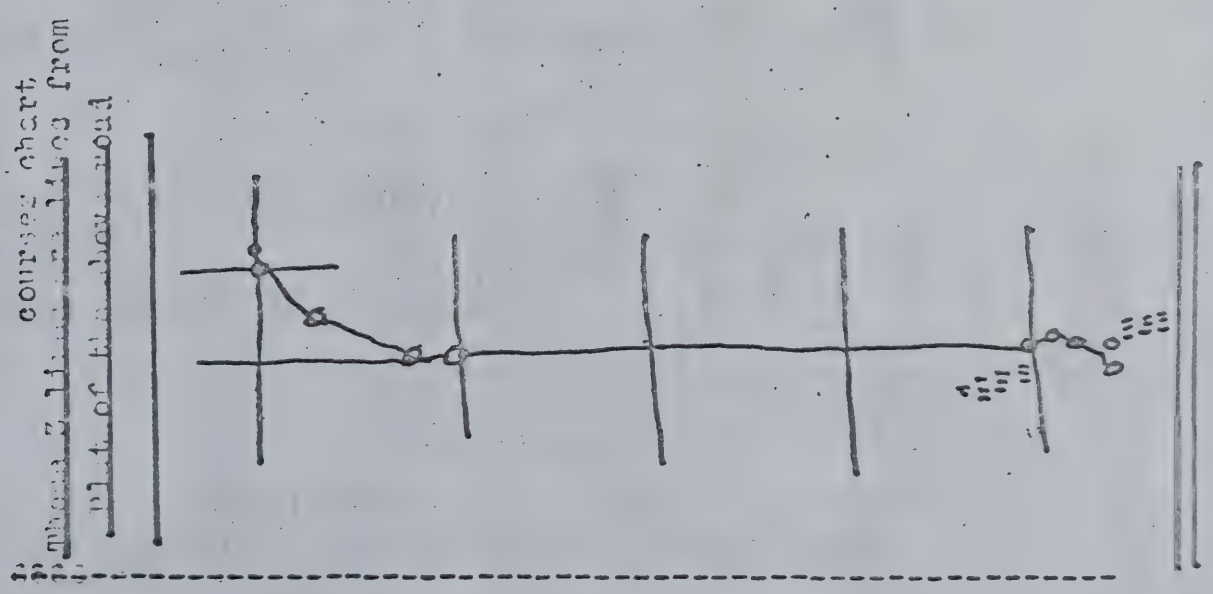
Courses	Chs	links	
1 S 46 W	15	00	to a post from which beard a
2)			hickory tree 16 inches in diameter
3) below			north 49¾° E 25 links to a sugar
4)			tree 12 inches in diameter to a
5 S 19° W	6	58	post which beard a sugar tree 18
6 S 28½° W	5	57	inches in diameter S 24½° W 35
7 S 61° W	2	00	links to an Elm tree at the foot

of the Big hill, I do hereby certify that the above field notes are a true copy given under my hand this 22d day of April A D 1839, George H. McNeel Surveyor.

2 S 21½ W	23	10	
3 S	125	75	Top of hill
4 S 31½ E	5		



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_/ 406 Ordered George W. McNeel survey of Benjamin Shaw road be allowed the sum of three dollars and fifty cents out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated which is in full for his services for the same.

_/ 407 Ordered that Mr. L. Woodruff as chain carries on the Shaw road be allowed the sum of one dollar in full for his services out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 408 Ordered that Andrew Segler be allowed the sum of one dollar in full for his services on the Shaw road out of a ny money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 410 Ordered that Alexander Arrasmith one of the viewers of the change in the Shaw road be allowed the sum of two dollars in full for his services out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 411 Ordered that Joseph Wilkinson one of the viewers of the change in the Ben Shaw road be allowed the sum of one dollar in full for his services out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 412 Ordered that Judith Bloss be allowed the sum of twenty dollars for her services and attendance rendered Martha Zugg dureing her pregnency and confinement in the common

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Jail of the County from the first day of March to the 7th day of May 1839 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be alled the sum of fourteen dollars for his extra service up to date out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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This day came Lewis Holtz road commissioner of Eugene Township makes the following report to wit:

"To the Honl Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County in session May Term 1839, I herewith furnish you with anacecunt of money recd of James Thompson Treasurer of said County as commissioner appointed by your Honl Body at your March session 1837 to expend the tax set apart for Eugene Township on Public roads and Highways.

Eugene Township Vermillion County Ind in account with Lewis Holtz suprs.

By Cash Receivd of said T R	$110.00
To amt pd for 3 days work of team on road to J. Coil	9.00
" 1 hand on same road	9.00
" digging & Burning 46 stumps	20.00
" Scrapeing & Plowing 2 days	6.00
" 8 day hire for Boy	4.00

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" 1 Team 1½ days	5.00
" amt paid Jonas Coil on contract as per recpt 4500 9800	
	12.00
Cr by 8 Days services at $1.00 per day	8.00
	$ 4.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Lewis Holtz

Commissioner

Township Treasurers report I Josiah Zuger Treasurer of township No 18 in range ten west in the County of Vermillion do hereby represent to the Board of County of Commissioners, that I under my care belonging to said township seventy four dollars and firty five cents, one note on George Zieger for twenty dollars said Township expended the last year for School purposes the sum of one hundred and seventy nine dollars and two and a half cents, said Township has received from the Commissioner fureing the year past of interest the sum of two hundred and twenty four dollars .

Josiah Zieger Treasurer of Township No 18

R No 10 west.

Ordered that Nathaniel W. Davis Supervisor of road

_/ 414 district No 7 in Vermillion Township for 1838, be allowed the sum of three dollars in full for his services up to this date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise

appropriated,

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Report of James Reed Treasurer of Township No seventeen north of range No ten west for the year ending the first Monday of May A D 1839.

Paid to district No 1 the following sums:

Henry Payne	36.27½
George Cochran	3.62
Benjamin Naylor	2.00
Truman Sollars	90
	10.15
Paid to District No Two	178.54
	$ 188.69

Amount remaining in my hands $115.31

Fees for virious services at Diferent times $3

Given under my hand and seal this severth day of May 1839.

James Reed

Ordered that Eli Brown be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of elevtions for Clinton Township to serve as such until the next April Election

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones of Newport be and he is

hereby appointed agent of the three per cent fund of Vermillion County and required to give Bond with good Freehold security in double the amount that may come in to his hands as such agent from time to time and that he be autherized to call upon Joseph Shaw agent of the three per cent fund for the ballance now remaining in his hands.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow Morning 9 oclock A.M.

Thos. Chenoweth)
Chas. Trowbridge) Comrs
E.B. James)

Signed May 9th 1839

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4th day of May Term A.D. 1839

Thursday Morning 9 oclock A.M.

Present as on Yesterday

Gookins State Road a Change in

Whereas at the March term of this Court Asaple Hill, George Hicks and David Smith were appointed by the Board viewers to view survey makke and lay out, a change in the following road herein after mentioned, and make report of thier views and proceedings at their next session on the first Monday in May 1839, and now on this day the report of the said viewers aforesaid, having been duly examined by the Board was deemed insoficient and not in complyance

with the law, said order is in the words & figures follow-
in to wit; "On petition of Milo Gookins & others praying
for a change in a certain State road therein named, recent-
/ ly located but not opened, commencing in the south west
qr of sec 5 T 18 N R 9 west thence to the crossing of
Jordens Creek by Allen Rogers and Isaac Chenoweths, and to
the State road leading from the Army ford to Perrysville
so that said road shall leave its present location at or
near a point eight rods south of the N E corner of the W ½
of the N E qiarter of section 33 in T 18 N R 9 W thence
north to a point paralel with the west end of Washington
Street in the Town of Perrysville thence east with said
street to Clay Street thence north with said street to
Green Street thence east with said Street to the said
State road leading from the army ford to Perrysville.
Ordered that John R. Porter, Stephen S. Collett, Rezin
Shelby, be and they are hereby appointed reviewers to view
resurvey make and lay out said proposed change and make re-
port of their views and proceedings duly certified under
their hands and seals at the next session of this Board.

/415 Ordered that Nathaniel W. Davis be allowed the sum of
two dollars and twenty five cents in full of his wood bill
out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated

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James Blair Ferry

And now on this day comes James Blair and applies to the Board of Commissioners for the establishment of a public Ferry across the Wabash River at the west fraction of section (34) thirty four Township No 19 nineteen north of range 9 nine west in the County of Vermillion, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board, that the said James Blair is the owner of the described tract of land aforesaid and it appearing by satesfactory proof made to the Board that written notice of this application have been set up in three of the most public places in Highland township in this County, in which said township the said tract of land is situate, upon which said Ferry is prayed to be established at least thriety days prior to the first day of this session, and the said Board deeming it necessary for the public convenience that said Ferry should be established, It is therefore ordered by the Board that the said James Blair be licenced to keep a public Ferry across the Wabash River at Perrysville on the tract of land aforesaid in the Township and County aforesaid until the further order of the Board. It is ordered by the Board that the said James Blair keep at least one good flat Boat sufficient to carry a waggon and six horses, and at least two good hands to attend the same one of whom shall be skilled in ferrying, also one good and sufficient skill sufficient to carry ten

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men both of which shall be kept at all times in good repair and the rates of ferriage established at said Ferry are as follows to wit; for easch foot pasenger 6¼ for each man & horse 12½ for each carriage horse and driver 25. for each carriage 2 horses driver and ladeing 37½ for each carriage three horses driver and ladeing 43¾ cents, for each carriage four horses driver and ladeing 50 for each additional Beast drawing a burther 6¼. The above rates are allowed for all carriages drawn by work cattle, for every horse mule or ass in a drove 6¼ for each head of neat cattle 3 cents for each head of sheep, hog or goats &c 2 cents and the above boat shall be compleetly furnished with racks or banisters for the safe conveying of Stockof every kind, and the said James Blair is required to give Bond in the sum of five hundred dollars with freehold security resident of the County of Vermillion conditioned according to the statute in such case made and provided regulating ferrys to be approved of by the Board doing County business, to b e filed in the Clerks office on or before the first Monday of September next upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars

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Be it Remembered that on this 9th day of May The Board of Commissioners proceeded to select from the assessment Roll Grand and Pettit Jurors for the Term of September 1839 and March Term 1840 and said Names were selected and put into a box kept for that purpose and thereupon the Clerk in presence of the Board drew out the folloing names for the Grand and Pettit Jurors for September term 1939

GRAND JURORS	PETTIT JURORS FOR THE 1ST WEEK	PETIT JURORS FOR THE SECOND WEEK
Charles Bell	Price Chezem	John Johnson
John Myers	Thomas Moore	Cornelius Harlen
Peter Smith	James Osborn	Jacob Clearwaters
John Hammond	Alexander C. Conn	Henry Bailey
James A. White	Galen M. Brown	Christopher Hannoman
Thomas Tipton	Samuel Glover	George W. Powers
Lewis Wellman	Loyd Edmonds	Elmond Goff
Samuel Riason	Alexander Arrasmith	John Jenks
Simeon Dicken	James Wood	Julius Boggart
Edward Briden	Samuel Evans	Saml Prather
Thomas Gouty	Samuel Elder Jr	Isaac Vanduyne
Thomas Harris	Jordan Drake	William Boyles
Harbert Furguson	Robert Stokes	George Wright
Bevin R. Burnes	Samuel Warren	Alfred Carmack
Joshua Dean	James West	Robert Kelly
Caleb R. Jewitt	Barton Aikman	Dillon Hayworth
Elias Deyo	Charles S. Little	William Laswell

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Isaac Chenoweth	William Cossey	Samuel Doughtery
	Robert Albin	Thomas Brown Jr
	John Taylor Senr.	Washington Moore
	Arthur Payton	William Hannaky
	John [illegible] Boren	Jacob Stately
	Abram White	Archibald Fleming
	George W. Hunter	John Parke

And also at the same in presence of said Board drew the folowing names for Grand & Petit Jurors for the term of March 1840 to wit:

GRAND JURORS

William Caldwell	James Groenendyke	Jacob Miller
Ralph Willson	Elkana Howard	Samuel Milligan
John Gouty	David Merriweather	Nathaniel Washburn
~~[illegible]~~	John Clearwater	Aaron Smith
	Benjamin Wittenmyer	Thomas F. Leach

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Grand Jurors March Term 1840 Brot over	Petit Jurors for the 1st Week of the March Term 1840.	Petit Jurors for the 2nd week of the March Term 1840
James Blair	George W. Plamer	Samuel Elder
Joseph Reeder	Thos H. Harlan	Lewis Holtz
Benjamin Burson	Jonas Campbell	Jno M. Clover

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Fredrick Zeiger	Jonas Metzgar	Jno Fortune
John Castle	Jas L. Wishard	James P. Naylor
	Jos Hollingsworth	John Hinds
	Jas Reed	Wm Parent
	Martin Harrold	David Smith
	Merideth Pruett	Daniel Mossbarger
	Septames Ramey	John Langstone
	James Asberry	John McNeil
	Jacob Iles	Mathew Harbincon
	Elijah Saltmash	David Sherfy
	Richard Hayworth	Merdeth Parish
	Samuel Malone	Jno H. Staats
	Jacob Rudy	Joseph Watson Jr
	David Piper	James Harper 3rd
	Jos D. Williams	Lewis Jones
	Wm Henderson	Martin Patrick
	John Russell	Wm Curtis
	Elijah Taylor	Asa H. Mack
	Lazarus Wright	Jno Vandwyn
	Abram E. Seargent	Aquilla Nebeker
	Wm Hedges	Geo. S. Mitchell

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Ordered that the Grand Jury who served at the Term of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight Hundred and thirty nine who wer allowed by the Circuit Court for five days service at one dollar and twenty five cents per day be and they are hereby allowed as follows to wit;

_/ 416	John Payne	5 days	$6.25
_/ 417	Robert E. Barnett	" "	6.25
_/ 418	Andrew Fultz	" "	6.25
_/ 419	Thomas J. Brown of Helt	" "	6.25
_/ 420	Joseph Ramey	" "	6.25
_/ 421	Edward Williams	" "	6.25
_/ 422	Daniel Weisiger	" "	6.25
_/ 423	Samuel A. Holdaway	" "	6.25
_/ 424	John Sawyer	" "	6.25
_/ 425	A.B. Edmundston	" "	6.25
_/ 426	John Hopkins	" "	6.25
_/ 427	James Harper	" "	6.25
_/ 428	James M. Booker	" "	6.25
_/ 429	Joel Dicken	" "	6.25
_/ 430	Creed H. Boswell	" "	6.25
			$93.75

Out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated

Ordered that John N. Jones, George Bishop & Adoniram J. Richardson who attended at the March term 1839 as Grand Jurors & were rejected be alled for one days service at $1.25 per day to wit.

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_/ 431	John N. Jones	1 day	1.25
_/ 432	George Bishop	1 "	1.25
_/ 433	Adoniram J. Righardson	1 "	1.25

Out of any money in the Treasurry not otherwise appropriated

_/ 434 Ordered that James Seals Bailiff of Grand & Pettit J Jurors be allowed the sum of ten dollars and fifty cents in full for his services at the March Term 1839 out of any money in the Treasurery not appropriated.

_/ 435 Ordered that Eli Newlin Bailiff at the March Term 1839 be allowed the sum of nine dollars in full for his services out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 436 Ordered that William A. Lawlyess be allowed the sum of nine dollars in full for his services as Bailiff of the Pettit Jurors at the Term of March A D 1839 out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 437 Ordered that John S. Oxford Rideing Bailiff be allowed the sum of four dollars and fifty cents in full for services rendered by him at the March term 1839 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ Ordered that Edward Williams be licenced to vend foreign and domestic groceries and spiritous liquors in the

town of Newport by a less quantity that a quart for the period of one year from the 6th Inst upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of sixty six dollars and sixty six cents he having satisfied the Board by documentary proof that he was a partner of William Clover decd who has already paid into the Treasury the sum of one hundred dollars for the same purpose and for thesame establishment for one year four months of which year are yet unexpired. And it is further ordered that said Williams be required to execute bond with Security according to law befor said license is granted.

Ordered that the following persons be allowed the following sums respectively for serving as Traverse Jurors at the March term of the Circuit Court 1839 viz;

_/ 457	William P. Dole	for three days			$3.75
_/ 458	William McDowell	"	4	"	5.00
_/ 459	Westley Chruch	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 460	Benjamin Turman	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 461	S.S. Collett	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 462	David Beauchamp	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 463	Josiah Zeger	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 464	John Watt	"	5	"	6.25
_/ 465	Thomas Kibley	"	7	"	8.75
_/ 466	Danl Biddlecome	"	7	"	8.75
_/ 467	Simeon Chopps	"	7	"	8.75

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_/ 468	Th. French	7 "	8.75
_/ 469	Saml Milkman	7 "	8.75
_/ 470	Thomas Cunningham	7 "	8.75
_/ 471	John Russell	7. "	8.75
_/ 472	George Myers	7 "	8.75
_/ 473	Samuel Wishard	4 "	5.00

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_/ 474	Joshua Swan	4 days	5.00
_/ 475	Bevin R. Burns	4 "	5.00
_/ 476	William Whitted	4 days	5.00

Ordered that the order licenceing Francis B. Lyon as a Grocery keeper in the town of Perrysville let the term of March 1839 of this Court, the said Francis B. Lyon haveing not complied with the requirements of said order & having informed the Board that he would not be and the same is hereby recinded

Ordered that Court adjourn until to morrow morning 9 oclock A M

Thos Chenoweth)
Signed May 10th 1839 Chas Trowbridge) Commissioners
E.B. James)

Friday Morning 9 Oclock A.M. May 10th 1839

Court met pursueant to adjournment.

Present as on Yesterday.

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_/ 438 Ordered that Joseph Shaw associate Judge be allowed the sum of twleve dollars in full for his services at the term of March 1839 out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 439 Ordered that Joel Hume be allowed the sum of twelve dollars in full for his services as associate Judge at the term of March 1839 out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Clocks Ordered that the Sum of twenty five dollars be fixed as the rate of tax fixed on each licence to vend wooden Brass or composition Clocks.

Show Tax Ordered that the Sum of fifteen (5 dollars be fixed as the rate of tax on each traveling Caravern, Menagerie & Circus or either of them.

Ordered that the s um of fifty dollars be fixed as the rate of tax on any show of figuers, or theator.

_/ 440 Ordered Elijah B. James Comr be allowed the sum of ten dollars for his services at the present session out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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District Roads in Helt Ordered that Road district No 1 in Helt Township be divided and described as follows to wit,

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Township No 1

Road district No 1 in Helt Township shall be composed of the following bounds to wit Sections Nos 2,3,10, & 11 Town 15 range 9 west.

Road District No 10

Ordered that all the district in Helt Township composed of the following bounds to wit; Sections Nos 14, 15,22,23,26,27,34 & 35 Township No 15 north of range No 9 west shall be Styled & called road District No 10.

Ordered that Abraham E. Sergeant be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district Number 10 in Helt Township to serve as such until the next anuel April Election.

Eugene Road District No 6

Ordered that Road District No five in Eugene Township be divided and described as follows to wit.

Road District No 6 in Eugene Township shall be composed of the following bounds to wit commenceing one half mile east of the line dividing ranges 9 & 10 in said Township to the center stake of section 18 township 18 north of range 9 west thence south withe the half mile line to the Big Vermillion River "thence east with said river to the Wabash thence north with the Wabash to the line divideing Eugene & Highland Townships thence west to the place of beginning.

Eugene No 5

Order d that Road district No 5 in Eugene Township shall be composed of the following bounds to wit; all the terrytory north & east of the Big Vermillion River, to wit, the west frac halfs of sections Nos 18,19 & 30 Town 18 north of

range 9 west & section 33 & fractional parts of sections nos 28 & 32 R 10 W.

_/ Ordered that John Daugherty be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 6 in Eugene Township to serve as such until the next anuel April Election

441 Issued Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth Com be allowed the sum of ten dollars for his servic s at the present session outf of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 442 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge Comr be allowed the sum of ten dollars for his services at the present Session of this Board out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

This dat James Thompson School Comr. of the County of Vermillion makes his anuel Report in the words and figuers following to wit. "To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County in session May term 1839 in compliance with the requisitions of law I herewith on account of monies received and disbursed by me (and for what objects) as School Commissioner since May term A.D. 1838 to wit,

Township 14 R 9 W.

May the 8th 1838 advance interest Recd of Joseph Hopkins

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on the residue of the purchase money due on lot No 3 Sec 16 T 4 R 9 18.00

do 8th do " " " on No 6 " " " " " 3.60

" 8th do of Samuel Davison on lot no 2 two " " " 21.60

" 8th residue of Purchase money of Chester Clark on lot No 11 S 16 T 14 R 9. 3.60

June2d " " James Clark on lot No 5 " " " 3.60

Dec 8th advance Interest recd of Rush & Pearson per amt loaned 13.56

Jany 27 advance Interst Recd of John Paine per amt loaned 15.00

March 23 advanced Interest Recd of Samuel Davidson on lot No 2 221.60

April 12 " " " " Joseph Hopkins on lot No 2 318.00

" " " " " " do on lot No 6 3.60

" 13th do " " of Francis H. Mitchel on lot no 8 3.60

" " " " " " " " " on lot No 9 3.60

" 13th do " " " of John Porter per amt loaned 10.31

$ 139.75

Sept 11th 1938. Recd of James Whitcomb two hundred and forty dollars being the residue of the purchase money due 240.00

on Lot No 1 Sec 16 T 14 R 9 W

Sept 10th 1938 Cash paid

By order of the Trustees $300.00

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Oct. 13th 1838 " " "	do	240.00
April 13 1839 " " "	do	219.99
		$759.99

Township 14 R 10 W

December 25th 1838, advance interest Recd of Cuthbert H. Spangler on the residue of the Purchase due on lot No 2 Sc 16 T 14 R 10 " " " " 8.10

do on lot No 3	" " " "	3.11
do on lot No 5	" " " "	7.18
do on lot No 6	" " " "	4.84
do 25th of C.W. Spangler pert amt loaned		9.12
January 29, 1839 Recd of Christopeher Hunter on lot No " " " "		9.13

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" 29th 1839 Recd of Wm Hoopon lot No 4 S 16 T 14 R 10		2.65
" 29th " " of Hugh Dyerson lot No 7 " " "		3.71
" 29 " " of John Hunter on lot No 8 " " " " "		4.95
" 29 " " of Spencer Hunter on lot No 9 " " " "		1.92
" 29 " " of Wm Hoop on lot No 10 " " " "		1.39
" 29 " " of John Hunter on lot No 11 " " " "		2.18
" 29 " " " " " on lot No 12 " " " "		2.12
		$ 58.40

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" March 11th 1839 Cash by order of the Trustees $68.00

Township 15 Range 9 W.

June 20th 1938 advance Interest Recd by Enoch White on the residue of the purchase money due on lot No 5 sec 16 T 15 R 9 $3.72

June 20th advance Interest Recd of Z.D. James per amt loaned 2.80

July 3rd do " " of Wm Skidmore per amt loaned """ 4.20

" 24 do " " of John B. Geer per amt loaned """ 4.20

" 19 do " " of Joel Blakesley per amt loaned """ 3.90

June 23 do " " of Samuel Skidmore per amt loaned 7.20

July 19 do " " of Nathan Owens per amt loaned """ 3.13

" 19 do " " of Wm Laswell per amt loaned """ 7.33

36.38

Township 15 R- 10 W.

August 16th advance Interest Recd of Paul Clover on the residue of the purchase money due on lot No 3 sec 16 T 15 R 10 W 4.18

do do do " " on lot No 6 " " " " " 6.50

Do 16 do of Isaac Miller on lot No 8 """"" 4.51

Do 16 do of John Martin on lot No 5 " " " " " 4.51

Sept 17th do of James S. Carpenter on lot No 2 " " 3.53

" 19 do of do on lot No 7 " " " " " 3.37

March 10th do " do on lot No 1 " " " " " 3.81

" 10 do " do on lot No 4 " " " " 4.50

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$35.01

Township 16 R 9

May 20th 1838 advance Interest recd of James White on lot No 9 2.25

June 2nd do Wm Slater on lot No " 7 2.25

July 5th do Galan Brown per amt loaned 16.20

" 8th do of Edward Jordon per amt loaned " 6.00

" do of D.M. Clover per amt loaned 18.00

" do of Jacob M. Jackson per amt loaned 4.00

August 17th do of Jermiah Highfield on lot No 8 2.25

" 18th do of Phillip French per amt loaned "" 6.00

" 29" do of Jesse H. Fisher on lot No 12 "" 5.40

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March 5th 1839 of Des Clover per amt loaned --" 18.00

" 19 " do of John Russell pr amt loaned -" 3.30

" 19 " do of Charles Trowbridge by the hands of J.R. Porter 4.20

$88.05

Record February 7th 1839 of Jeremiah Highfield thirty seven dollars fifty cents b eing the residue of the purchase money due on lot No 8 sec. 16 R. 9 W. " -- 37.50

Amount loaned since March Term March the 5th 1839

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Amount loaned David W. Clover payable in one year from date $300.00

March 19th 1839 amount loaned John Russell payable in 3 years from date 55.00

Township 16 R 10 W.

January 15th 1838 advance interest recd of John Mccool per amt loaned 2.10

January 2d 1839 advance Interest Recd of John Peer per amt loaned 18.00

" 2 1839 advance Interest recd of James Davis on the following described lots (to wit lot No 2 sec 16 T. 16 R 10 18.45

" " " " " do No 8 E " - " 13.24

" " " " - do No 7 " " - " 20.10

" " " " - do No 1 " " - " 18.37

" " " " - do No 13 " " - " 3.65

" " " " - do No 10 " " - " 12.99

" " " " - do No 14 " " " " 14.71

" 14 " " - of Charles L. Little on lot No 9 14.61

" " " " - do do " do No 15 16.84

" " " " - do do " do No 16 15.80

February 24th 1839 of Philennon Thomas on lot No 3 5.72

" " " " do- do " do No 6 7.32

" " " " do - do " do No 11 5.47

" " " " do - do- do No 12 6.50

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March 5th do of Isaac Chenoweth recd of Richard Hayworth per amt loaned 6.53

" " " do do " of Wm Malone do odo 18.00

March 5th " " " " of Jesse Hollingsworth " " 15.32

$ 237.72

January 26th 1839 Cash paid by order of Trustees $166.25

Township 17 R. 9 W.

July 24th 1838, advance Interest recd of A.B. Florer per amt loaned 6.00

August 18 Do do " " of Elias N. Reynolds pr amt loaned 6.00

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January 2d 1839 advance Interest recd of Stephen S. Collett on the residue of the pruchase money due on the following described tracts towit,

The E.H. N.E. qr. sec 16 T 17 R 9 W,---- $14.47

" N.W. 40 acres of the N.E. qr --- 14.50

" S.W. 40 acres of the, N.E. qr --- 16.75

" N.E. 40 acres of the S.E. qr - 12.60

" N.W. 40 acres of the S.E. qr --- 12.60

" S.E. 40 acres of the S.E. qr --- 14.40

" S.W. 40 acres of the S.E. qr --- 11.92

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The S. 50 acres off of the S Side of the S hof S W qr 8.15

January 2d of James Hopkins on the N.E. 40 acres of

the N.H. of S W qr 2.96

" " N W 40 acres N H S W qr. 8.82

" " the N 30 acres off of the S side of S HSW qr 4.90

January 6th advance Interest recd of George Cochrane

per amt loaned 6.00

" 13th advance recd of Ralph Wilson pr amt loaned 1.05

" 14th advance interest recd of Ralph Wilson pr amt

loande 18.00

" 6 advance Interest recd of John R. Porter on

the N E 40 acres N.W. qr-- 8.11

" " S E 40 acres N W qr-- 12.60

" " S W 40 acres N W qr -- 10.80

" " N W 40 acres N.W. qr --- 7.20

March 22d advance Interest Recd of Joseph S haw pr

amt loaned 18.00

April 11 do do do of John R. Porter do 18.00

$ 223.83

January 2d 1839 recd of James Hopkins one hundred and
two dollars being part of the residue of the purchase
Money due on the N.W. 40 acres of the N.H.S.W. qr $102.00

Township 17 R 10 west

Sept 18th 1838 Interest recd of Abel Woolverton pr amt

loaned 5.60

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" 22 " advance Interest recd of Charles Trowbridge pr amt loaned	9.00
January 30th 1839 advance interest recd of Martin Patrick on lot No 3	18.07
" - " - " - " - " " " on lot No 4	10.87
" - " - " - " - " " " on lot No 9	12.00
" - " - " - " - " " " on lot No 10	14.01
March 18th " Recd of Luther Powers on lot No 7	18.08
" " " " do do on lot No 12	6.74
" " advance interest recd of J & S Hroenendyke per amt loaned	18.00
" 18th advance interest recd of Josephus Collett on lot No 2	18.83
" " " do do on lot No 5	12.66
" 18 " advance interest recd of James West on lot No 1	19.33
" " do do do on lot No 6	7.60
" " do do do on lot No 8	9.05
	$ 180.66

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March 18th 1839 Cash paid by order of Trustees $107.00

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June 10th 1838 advance interest recd of Josephus Collett on the residue of the purchase money due on the following described lots, To wit,

" On lot No 1 " " "	23.57
" On lot No 2 " " "	24.37
" On lot No 3 " " "	34.48
" On lot No 4 " " "	31.42
" On lot No 5 " " "	22
June 14th 1838 advance interest recd of Simion Dicken pr amt loaned	18.00
" 19 " do do recd of Isaac Hobert " do do	18.00
January 28th " " interest recd of Aron F. Randolph per amt loaned	9.00
February 18th advance interest recd of Eber Jame pr amt loaned	18.00
	$ 177.42

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September 19th 1838 advanced interest r cd of James Smith pr amt loaned	6.00
February 7th 1839 advanced interest recd of Jacob Haines on lot No 4	21.64
" 7 " " do interest recd of Abel Wolverton on lot No 3	5.06
" 13 " " do interest recd of John M. Coleman on lot No 2	9.38

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" " " " Do do " do do on lot No 5	22.76
" " " " do do " do do on lot No 8	22.93
" 13 " " " " " of J. M. Coleman per amt loaned	18.00
" 14 " " do do " of David Smith on lot No 7	22.55
" 14 " " do do " of John F. Smith per amt loaned	18.00
" 14 " " do do " of Obediah Low pr amt loaned	6.00
" 14 " " do do " of Wm Fultz on lot No 9	16.22
" 14 " " do do " of James H.W. Osmon pr amt loaned	18.00
" 27 " " do do " of John S. Padgett pr amt loaned	6.00
March 8th " " do do " of Wm Hughs on lot No 10	10.40
April 3 " " do do " of James Smith per amt loaned	6.00
	$ 208.94

February the 8th 1839

Cash paid by order of Trustees $ 186.00

Township, 19 R. 9 W.

October 20th 1838 advance interest recd of James H.W, Osmon on the residue of the purchase money due on the following lots, to wit,

" on lot No 14 sec 16 T 19 R 9 W	4.50
" on lot No 10 " " " " " " "	2.28
" on lot No 11 " " " " " " "	12.24
" on lot No 12 " " " " " " "	5.94
Recd of Jonas Metzgar on lot No 2	4.05
" do do on lot No 3	2.70
" do do on lot No 4	8.65

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October 20th 1838 recd of Thomas Wright on lot No 1 $5.40

" " " do do do on lot No 7 6.07

" " " do do do on lot No 9 18.90

" " " do do do on lot No 5 9.66

" " " do do do on lot No 6 2.25

" 20th advance interest recd of Josiah Zeiger pr amt loaned 9.00

May 3d 1839 advance interest recd of Adoniram J. Richardson pr amt loaned 16.50

$ 104.14

March 7th 1839

Cash paid by order of Trustees $ 263.26

May 3 1839 amount loaned Adoniram J. Richardson payable 3 years from date $ 275.00

Township 19 R 10 west

June 16th 1838 advance interest recd of James Bradburn per amt loaned 6.00

August 8th 1838 advance interest recd of Joseph Howard on the following described lots to wit on lot No 1 Sec, 16 T 19 R 10 20.90

on lot No 6 " do do do 20.61

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August 13th recd of John Russell on lot No 2	11.74
Do " do " do do lot No 3	15.07
Do " do " do do " lot No 4	14.82
Do " do " do do " lot No 5	14.77
" 14 recd of Clarkson C. Williams on lot No 8	12.04
Do " do " do do on lot No 9	12.73
Do " do " do do on lot No 11	10.67
Do 18 recd of Richard Shute on lot No 7	26.87
Do " do " do do on lot No 10	20.87
Do " do " do do on lot No 12	10.00
Do 27th advance interest recd of Thomas Wright pr amt loaned "	18.00
September 2d advance interest recd of Henry Gouty pr amt loaned	18.00
Do 3 do " recd of Saml Clark pr amt loaned	6.00
January 2 1839 advance interest recd of G. Hendrick Minert	18.00
	$ 257.09

September 21st 1838

Cash paid by order of Trustees	242.39

Common School Fund arising from Militia fines

Amount Recd from T. 17 R 9	300
Amount recd from T 18 R. 9	500
Amount recd from T. 19 R 9	300
	$ 1100

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Common School Fund

June 6th 1838 Recd of Wm H.H. Scott agent of the State of Indiana for leaning the surplus revenue $100.00

" " " Advance interest recd of John Fosdick pr amt loaned 6.00

July 5th " Recd of William H.H. Scott agent of Surplus Revenue 200.00

June 22d advance Interest recd of James Davidson pr amt loaned 10.00

Sept 22nd recd of Wm H.H. Scott agent 200.00

Novr 17th recd of Wm H.H. Scott agent 161.31

" 17 advance Omterest recd of Josephus Collett pr amt loaned 9.66

" 7 advance Interest recd of Wm Coffin pr amt loaned 18.00

January 19 1839 advance Interest recd of Don pr amt loaned 12.00

Nov 13th 1838 advance Interest recd of John Russell on the Residue of the purchase money due on the N W qr sec 36 T 16 R 10 west 15.75

August 25th 1838 recd of Elijah R. Pinnell advance

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Interest on the residue of the purchase money due on 20 A in W qr sec 32 T 15 R 9 west 1.13

August 25th recd of Elijah R. Finnell one fourth part of the purchase money of 20 acr in S W qr sec 32 T 15 R 9 W 6.30

" 25th recd of S S Collett the purchase money of lot No 1 in Springfield 1.00

" 25th recd of R.M. Waterman the purchase money of lot No 82 in Eugene 1.35

" 25th recd of George Howver the purchase money of lot No 10 in Perrysville 11.00

$ 754.13

Amount received for the redemption of non resident lands and Town lots 23.73

$ 777.86

All which is very

Respectfully submitted

James Thompson

School Commiss Ver. C.

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Order 443 Issued

Ordered that Abel Woolverton be allowed the sum of twenty nine dollars and sixty two cents in full for sustaining William Pearce infant pauper of Highland township

out of any money in the treasurery not otherwise appropriated

Ordered that John B. Yeager be appointed collector of the State and County Revenue for the County of Vermillion for the present year upon his fileing Bond in the Clerks office in the Penal Sum of five thousand with approved free hold security.

/ 444 Ordered that A.B. Florer for the use of Morris Morris Auditor of the State of Indiana be allowed the sum of thirty dollars for a tract Book furnished Vermillion Co this spring out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Account of receipts and Disbursements of Vermillion County from the 1st Monday of May 1838, to the first Monday of May 1839.

On account of Paupers Disbursements	708.29½
" " " Roads	247.76½
" " " Stationery fuel & furniture	136.86
" " " Elections	17.50
" " " Expenses of Jail & Jailors fees	112.23½
" " " Reapirs & Improvements of Jail	121.65
" " " Printer for Publishing rects & dismts	4.00
" " " Juriors	203.30
" " " Coroners Inquest	18.00
" " " Improper Assessments	12.23
" " " Associate Judges	48.00

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"	"	"	Commissioners	122.00
"	"	"	Clerk for extra services	70.00
"	"	"	do for making Duplicate	46.00
"	"	"	Sheriff for extra services	70.00
"	"	"	Bailiffs	48.30
"	"	"	Assessor	300.00
"	"	"	Schools	108.25
"	"	"	Delinquencies	298.24
"	"	"	Collectors Commissioners	259.99
"	"	"	Treasurers do	138.09
				3090.90½

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On this 10th day of May 1839 the within sessment roll after having been carefully compared with the original returns of the deputy assessor and being conected and equalized in the valuation is approved by the board.

Signed Charles Trowbridge)
Thomas Chenoweth)
E.B. James)

The above was this day endorsed upon the Assessment Roll as returned to the Board by George E. Tingle Assessor of said County.

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Ordered that said Assessment roll be received and approved by the board.

Receipts

Amount of Duplicate	4542.64
" " Assessments & Collections by Collector	88.95
" " License to Vendors of Foreign Merchandize	104.00
" " " " Retailers of Liquors	353.33
" " " " Exhibitions	68.00
" " " " Jury fees	4.50
	5161.42
Deduct Disbursements	3090.90½
Bal in Treasury	2070.51½

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Ordered that there be levied and collected for the year 1839 on each male inhabitant of the County between the ages of twenty one and fifty years the sum of fifty cents, and on each hundred dollars of taxable property the sum of thirty cents.

Ordered that George E. Tingle be allowed the sum of Three Hundred Dollars for his services as Assessor for the year 1839 as follows Viz.

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_/ 445 Ordered No 1 Twenty five Dollars

_/ 446 " " 2 Twenty five dollars

_/ 447 " " 3 Forty dollars

_/ 448 " " 4 Ten dollars

_/ 449 " " 5 Forty dollars

_/ 450 " " 6 Forty Dollars

_/ 451 " " 7 Twenty dollars

_/ 452 " " 8 Thirty dollars

_/ 453 " " 9 Thirty five dollars

_/ 454 " " 10 Twenty five dollars

_/ 455 " " 11 Ten dollars

_/ 456 Ordered that George E. Tingle be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars in part compensation for taking the Agriculture Statistics required by law.

_/ Ordered that Daniel A. Jones be licenced to vend foreign Merchandize for one year from the 6th Inst upon his paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

Ordered that there be levied the sum of five cents be the rate of road tax on all taxable real estate for the present year.

_/ Ordered that T.P.L. Taylor be appointed Supervisor for road District No 5 in Holt Township until the annual Election.

Ordered that the Clerk be directed to advertise that on the first Monday of June next, the Board will receive

proposals for keeping all the paupers of said County by one individual.

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn.

Chas Trogbridge)
Thos. Chenoweth)Commissioners
E.B. James)

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June Session 1st Day A.D. 1839

At a meeting of the Board doing County Business on the first Monday of June at the Court house in Newport for the purpose of to hear and determine the complant of any Property listed and valued by the Assessor subsiquent to the first day of March in the year A D 1839, and for the purpose of correcting any list or valuation and for other purposes.

Charles Trowbridge)
Presant Elijah B. James)Commissioners
Thomas Chenoweth)

Ordered that Daniel A. Jones agent of the three per cent fund for Vermillion County be and he is hereby authorized and directed to loan for the term of one year from this date at the rate of ten per cent per annum the sum of One Thousand Dollars of the said three per cent fund appropri-

ated for the purpose of erecting a permanent Bridge with stone abutments over the Big Vermillion River within the
_/ County of Vermillion approved February 8th 1836, he taking bond and approved freehold Security for the same.

Ordered that there be an election held at the place of holding elections in the Township of Highland in Perrysville on the Sixth day of July 1839, for the purpose of electing One Justice of the Peace who shall reside in the said Town of Perrysville in accordance with an act of the Ligislature approved February 13th 1839 and that the Sheriff adventisethe same giving at least twenty days notice of the same.

_/ Ordered that Daniel A. Jones agent of the three per cent fund of Vermillion County be authorized and directed to expend eighty dollars of said fund on the State road leading from Newport to Eugene immeaditely north of the bridge across the little Vermillion River, between the said bridge over the brick yard opposite Jacob Moreheads meadow and that said expenditure be under the inspection and control of said Jones for the Improvement of said road through the bottom of the Little Vermillion north of the said bridge and that he report of his proceedings at the next term of this Court.

_/ 477 Ordered that George Tillinghast be allowed the sum of two dollars for one table for the use of the Grand Jury

out of any money in the County Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 478 Ordered that Elijah B. James Esquire be allowed the sum of two dollars for his services as Commissioner one day at the June Session 1839 out of any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 479 Ordered that Thomas Chenoweth Esquire be allowed the sum of two dollars for his services as Commissioner one day at the June Session 1839 out of any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 480 Ordered that Charles Trowbridge Esquire be allowed the sum of two dollars for his servises as Commissioner one day at the June Session 1839. Out of any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

And the said Court proceeded to make and enter corrections on the assessment roll of all improper assessments that was presented to the Court.

Ordered that Alexander B. Florer Esquire be allowed the sum of twenty five dollars for his servises in making duplicate to the assessment roll for the year 1839 out of any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to be divided into and issued in two orders.

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_/ 481 as follows to wit One order for 12.50

_/ 482 do do " 12.50

It being the full amount allowed for making said duplicate for the year 1839.

Ordered that this Court adjourn until Court in Course.

Chas Trowbridge)
Thos Chenoweth) Commissioners
E.B. James)

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Term A.D. 1839.

State of Indiana)
County of Vermillion)

I Alexander B. Florer Clerk of the Circuit Court of Vermillion County certify that from the return of the Assessor on file in my office for the year 1839, there is in said County, twelve hundred and sixty two polls in said County subject to pay the State of Indiana six hundred and thirty one dollars also eighty thousand four hundred and fifteen acres of taxable land valued together with the improvements thereon to six hundred and forty two thousand eight hundred and twenty three dollars the value of said lands without improvements is three hundred and seventy three thousand eight hundred and nine dollars also there

is Town lots in said County to the value of one hundred and twenty four thousand seven hundred and forty seven dollars, there is also personal property in said County to the value of three hundred and forty five thousand and three hundred and ninety two dollars makeing in all the sum of one million one hundred and twenty six thousand and eighty six dollars subject to pay to the State of Indiana at the rate of thirty cents to the hundred dollars makeing a revenue of three thousand three hundred and seventy eight dollars twenty five cents, eight mills together with the above sum of six hundred and thirty one dollars the amount of revenue from polls, will make the aggregiate sum of four thousand and nine dollars and twenty five cents eight mills, which is the total amount of Revenue due the State of Indiana for the year our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine . In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk of said County and affixed the seal of said County at the Clerks office in Newport this 21st day of June 1839.

Alexander B. Florer Clerk

Recorded same day as above written.

A.B. Florer Clerk.

The above is a certificate to the County Treasurer of the Statement and amount of the State Revenue.

A.B. Florer Clerk

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The following is a true Copy of a certificate of the Statement and amount of County Revenue for the year 1839 transmitted to James Thompson County Treasurer to wit; "State of Indiana County of Vermillion. I Alexander B. Florer Clerk of the County of Vermillion Certify that from the assessment of Vermillion County on file in my office (in Vermillion County) for the year 1839 there is 1262 poles in said County subject to any a County Revenue of 631 dollars, there is also 83415 acres of land taxable the value of which together with the improvements thereon is 642823 dollars. There is also 124747 dollars value of Town lots. Also there is 365392 dollars value of personal property makeing the aggrigate sum of 1,126,086 dollars subject to a County tax of thirty cents per hundred dollars, makeing a County Revenue of 3378 dollars and 25 cents 8 mills, which together with the pole tax, will make the sum of 4,009 dollars 25 cents 8 mills there is also 16496 acres of the aforesaid lands non resident the value of which is 51,795 dollars subject to a road tax of five per cent per hundred dollars which will make the sum of 25 dollars 89 cents 7 mills.

There is also 15870 dollars the value of none Resident

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Town lots, subject to pay a road tax of fifteen cents per hundred dollars which will make the sum of 23 dollars 80 cents 5 mills makeing the aggrigate revenue of 4058 dollars 96 cents County Revenue for Vermillion County for the year 1839.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County at Newport this 21st day of June 1839.

Alexander B. Florer Clerk

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Board of Commissioners.

Special Session July 22, 1839.

At a special meeting of the Board doing County business for the County of Vermillion convened by Wm Dalee Sheriff of Vermillion Co for the purpose of trying a contest of the election for an additional Justice of the Peace for the Township of Highland in the County of Vermillion held the 6th of July 1839.

Present	Charles Trowbridge Elijah B. James Thomas Chenoweth	Commissioners

J.W. Taylor, Samuel Ike, Matthew Black David Sherfy George H. McKunil	Contested Election

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William A Lawless

Comes now said contestors, & the said Lawless also comes & the said contestors produced & shew to the Court the following notices (here insert them) & prove the serven thereof, and also prove that the said Lawless did not at the time of said election reside in the Town of Perrysville & thereupon the said William A. Lawless moves the court to dismiss the said proceedings for the want of a sufficient notice, & for other causes now orally shown & the Court being sufficiently advised do order & adjudge that the said Cause be dismissed & that the costs of the said contestory and that the parties go hence thereof without day

Ordered that Court adjourn until Court in course.

Signed July 22d 1839 E.B. James, Thos Chenoweth, Chas Trowbridge } Commissioners

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1 Day of September Session

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At a Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County Indiana began and held at the Court House in Newport on the first Monday of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

Presant the Honl Elijah B. James, Chas Trowbridge and Thomas Chenoweth Commissioners.

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_/ 483 Ordered that Richard M. Waterman be allowed the sum of five dollars fifty cents for his medical Bill in attending James Starit a pauper of Eugene Township up to this day out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 484 Ordered that Enoch W. Lane be alled the sum of five dollars for makeing a Coffin for James Starett a pauper of Eugene Township out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 485 Ordered that Burch Reed be allowed the sum fifteen dollars and forty three cents for nurseing and sustaining James Starett a Pauper of Eugene Township from the first Monday of May 1839 to the 23d day of June 1839, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 486 Ordered that Samuel Groenendyke Merchant be allowed the sum of one dollar and eighty seven & a half cents for burial clothe furnished James Staret a pauper of Eugene Township out of any money in the Treasuery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 487 Ordered that John H. Staats overseer of the poor of Helt Township be allowed the sum of four dollars in full for his services as such for the year eighteen hundred and thirty eight out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 488 Ordered that Andrew Dennis be allowed the sum of

twenty dollars for sustaining 2 Paupers children of H. Eugg from the 7th April 1839 to July 2d inclusive out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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Issued Ordered That Daviel Lacy be appointed a constable of Highland Township Vermillion County Indiana to serve as Constable until the next April anuel election upon his fileing Bond with approved security in the sum of five hundred dollars.

Same Ordered that John S. Oxford be appointed a Constable of Highland Township Vermillion County Indiana to serve until anuel April Election upon his fileing Bond with approved security in the sum of five hundred dollars.

This day James Thompson filed his Bond as School Commissioner of Vermillion County Indiana, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, the same haveing been duly examined by the board is approved and ordered to be filed.

_/ Ordered Bishop Moffatt & Co be licenced to vend Merchandize in in Vermillion County and foreign and domestic Groceries for the term of one year upon their paying into the County Treasury the sum of five dollars.

_/ 489 Ordered that George Dehart be allowed the sum of seven-

teen dollars for sustaining John Watson a pauper of Highland Township from the 6th of May 1839, until the 2d of September 1839. out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 489 Ordered that William Cossey, be allowed the sum of seventeen dollars for keeping George Paley a pauper of Highland Township from Feb. 1st to April 1st 1839, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 491 Ordered that Gookins & Barnes be allowed the sum of twelve dollars in full of their Bill for goods furnished sundry paupers of Highland to 29th of August 1839, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

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_/ 492 Ordered that Andrew Denniss be allowed the sum of nineteen dollars and fifty cents for sustaining H. Bugg 2 children from July 3d to 3d of September 1839, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 493 Ordered that George W. Palmer J.P. be allowed the sum of fifty cents for an order to remove Buffington and famaly as paupers from Vermillion County out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 494 Ordered that William G. Berkshire be allowed the sum

of ten dollars and thirty seven cents for Expences paid by him in the removal of sundry paupers from Highland Township out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 495 Ordered that Kyles Hopkins Boots be allowed the sum of sixteen dollars and fifty cents for medecin & attendance on Emdine Carmen a pauper of Clinton Township out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

This day the Bonds of Danill Lacy, & John S. Osford who were this day appointed by the Board Constables of Highland Township said Bonds after being examined are approved and ordered to be filed.

_/ 496 Ordered that William Bales Sheriff be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for extra dollars for extra services in full to date, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 497 Ordered that A.B. Florer Clerk be allowed the sum of fourteen dollars for extra service to date out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

_/ 498 Ordered that S.B. Gardner be allowed the sum of fifty cents additional allowance as Clerk at the August Election 1839, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwise appropriated.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 O'clock A.M.

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	Thomas Chenoweth)	
	)	
Signed September 3d	Chas. Trowbridge)	Comrs.
	)	
1839	E.B. James)	

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2nd Day of September Term 1839

Tusday Morning 9 Oclock A.M.

Court met pursueant to adjournment

Presaht as Yesterday.

Ordered that the order establishing the rates of Ferriage in the County of Vermillion at the March Session 1839 be and the same is hereby recinded, and it is hereby ordered that the following be established as the rates of Ferriage in the County of Vermillion aforesaid as follows to - wit;

For each Foot Pasenger	6¼
" " Man & horse	12½
" " Carriage driver & ladeing drawn by horse	25
" " "	
" " " 2 Horses driver & lading	37½
" " " 3 " " " "	50
" " " 4 " " " "	75
" " " 5 " " " "	87½
" " " 6 " " " "	1.00

The above rates are allowed for all carriages drawn by

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work cattle.

For every horse mule or ass in a drove	6¼
" each head of neat Cattle " "	6¼
" " " " Sheep Hog or Goats	3

Collett Road

This day the petition of Josephus Collett and others for the vacation of a certain road leading from the north-west quarter of section 5 T 17 R 9 W to the salt works road passing throug the lands of Sollars and Florer was publicly read was laid over until tomorrow morning.

Collett Road.

Issued This day the peition of Josephus Collett & others for the establishment of a County Road to leading from the NW corner of section No 5 in T No 17 N of R 9 west, thence west on the Township line to the N.W. corner of section 6 T 17 R 9 W thence west to the line dividing the S E & the S W qr sevtion of section 9 T 17 R 10 west thence south on the line dividing s d qr sevtions to the salt works road ordered that James Thompson, John Tipton Sr of Samuel Groenendyke be appointed viewers to survey mark and lay out said road and make report of their proceedings at the next session of this Board.

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_/ 499 Ordered that Doct William Coffin be allowed the sum of twenty five dollars for medecins & Medical attendance for Martha Zugg a convict in the County Jail, out of any money in the Treasurery not otherwiseappropriated.

_/ 500 Ordered that Samuel Bowdern be allowed the sum of six dollars for removeing Buffington famaly from Vermillion County to Parke County Indiana out of any money in the Treasury not other wise appropriated.

John Russell Road.

This day the viewers appointed on said road makes the following report to wit; "August 17, 1839 To the Honl Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County Indiana the undersigned haveing been appointed to marke and lay out a road, commencing at a point where the line dividing the lands of Michael Gormley and Charles Trowbridge crosses the State Road leading from Monteruma to Paris & to terminate, on the Wabash, on the Big rock; hereby report that on the 15th Inst. they proceeded to view, and Examine said rout & finding the ground generally good, for a road and believeing it would be of Public Utility, have marked out the same & recommend it to be opened as follows to wit. Beginning at the State Road as aforesaid, thence south on the line between Trowbridge and Gormleys land 88 rods, thence S 36 0/1 E 30 rods, thence S 30° E 16 rods thence S 7° E 14 rods thence S 50 E 34 rods, thence S 45° E 44 rods thence S 29° E. 17, rods, thence S 15½° E 24 rods, thence

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S 38 rods thence S 26½° E 20 rods, thence S 22° E 58 rods, thence S 7° W 14 rods to the boundry line, thence S 53° E along the said boundry line 86 rods, thence S 74½° E 10½ rods thence S 40° E 14 rods to said boundry line again thence S 53 d E, 182 rods along s d boundry thence S 15½d E 36 rods, thence S 35 E 38 rods to the Big rock, on the Wabash makeing the whole distance 764 rods, or 2 miles & 124 rods all which is respectfully submitted.

John Skidmore)
Samuel Ryerson) Viewers
S. Rush)

I Certify the notes in the foregoing report to be correct as surveyed by me August 5th 1839.

John Porter Surveyor

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